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Schools trim costs

By BILL WINTER
of the Press-Record

With only one of the two Granite City school board proposals winning Nov. 8, officials are cutting costs and studying whether additional budgetary surgery will be needed.

Goals include: 1. Balanced income-outgo in 1984-85 for the second consecutive year. 2. Retention of a wide range of instructional programs in the 1985-86 school year.

IT IS UNCERTAIN whether these objectives can be achieved, even with a \$437,784 one-time bonanza from the state tax amnesty program. Some new cutbacks may have

to be ordered in late March, effective July 1, it was related.

Supt. Frank L. Kraus told the Board of Education Tuesday night that "belts are being tightened further" to avoid any non-essential spending between now and the end of the fiscal year June 30.

He said emphasis will be focused in January and February on assembling cost control ideas and evaluating their feasibility and impact, enabling alternatives to be presented by March 1 to the board for its study. Any staff trimming would be decided upon before April 1.

NO DECISION has been made on whether or when to resubmit the 50-cent education tax rate that lost by less than 1.5 percent of those voting on the proposal. In contrast to this narrow margin, a working cash fund bond issue was approved by more than 3,400 votes.

Board President Kelly Hogan withdrew Tuesday night as chairman of a citizen committee, formed last year at his urging to develop long-range school plans. The group never met; it "marked time" to enable full attention to be given to

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\$25 fee for local ambulance service for Chouteau homes

Chouteau Township residents must decide individually whether to pay a \$25-per-family fee for local ambulance service or not pay the fee and rely on a Wood River firm for service, it was explained at the regular meeting Monday night of the Chouteau Town Board of Trustees.

After several inquiries from township residents, Supervisor Walter "Dick" Sparks said he found that Campbell Ambulance Service, stationed in Pontoon Beach, is offering people a subscription rate of \$25

a year to insure the company will send an ambulance if needed.

HOWEVER, if township residents decide to take the insurance for \$25, this fee will not be applied to the total cost of the ambulance trip. Also, they will continue to pay \$25 a year for as long as they want the service.

Those deciding not to pay the \$25 fee will be served by Medco Ambulance Service in Wood River, it was explained. Since Medco ambulances have farther to travel to

pick up patients, some time delay could occur. There also has been talk of setting up a township ambulance service through the Mitchell Volunteer Fire Department, but this could be some time off, if such a decision is made, because training of the ambulance attendants would be necessary.

The township has been without reliable ambulance service the past two months. "People would call Campbell and sometimes they would

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Candidates prepare to file

Filing opens Monday for city, township and park positions that are to be decided in the April election. The deadline for filing petitions is Jan. 21.

GRANITE CITY

In Granite City, it appears the mayoral race will be a four-way challenge. The incumbent, Mayor Paul Schuler, will be pitted against Von Dee Cruse, the Granite City township assessor, Edward Jelf and

Paul Ray Bowler, Seventh Ward alderman.

THE CITY CLERK'S and treasurers' races may be less crowded with only the incumbents—City Clerk Robert W. Stevens and City Treasurer Nick Petrillo—taking out petitions, thus far.

In the aldermanic races, the First and Second Ward positions also show no competition for the in-

cumbents. Casmer Skubish, First Ward, and Fred "Pat" Schuman, Second Ward, are the only candidates to have picked up petitions, thus far.

In the Third Ward, it appears that Carl Kittel, the current alderman, will be challenged by three other opponents. Petitions also have been picked up by Homer Chisel, Beverly Schutzenhofer and Brett Hanke.

THE FOURTH WARD will also show no competition for the in-

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Nameoki gets toll-free line to Sheriff's Dept.

The Chouteau Town Board of Trustees Monday night approved a request from Nameoki Township Supervisor Harry Briggs to allow Nameoki Township residents to use the township's toll-free telephone number that is direct to Madison County Sheriff's Department.

Briggs told Sparks that there

are no open lines to the sheriff's department available. Nameoki Township has agreed to pay half of the total bill for the Chouteau toll-free line.

The number for Nameoki and Chouteau township residents to call the sheriff's department toll-free is 931-0066. The number is only toll-free from telephones with 931- or 797- prefixes, it was noted.

New sewer breaks spell trouble for street department

Eight sewer breaks occurring in Granite City in the last 10 days, are spelling headaches for Superintendent of Streets Mac Warfield. The cost of repairing the breaks is said to be at least \$450,000.

The eight new breaks are located at the following addresses: 2816 Lincoln Ave., 2531 Spalding Ave., 4015 Stearns Ave., 4063 Stearns Ave., 3108 Yale Drive, 1524 Garfield Ave., 3109 Jill Ave. and on Pontoon Road, behind Nameoki School.

ACCORDING TO Warfield, all of the breaks have been temporarily bypassed, except the one behind Nameoki School. The superintendent said the street department currently is working on a permanent solution to that break, since it involves a large line.

Warfield said that after this break is repaired, workers will immediately go back to the breaks that were bypassed and repair them one by one.

Warfield said he did not know how long it would take to repair all of the breaks.

CURRENTLY THERE are no independent contractors working on the repair of sewer breaks.

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deaths

Charles Bagl
Mary Breidenbach
Paul Gordon
William Lange
Arthur "Pete" Moicall
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weather

Snow diminishing to flurries this afternoon with a 2- to 4-inch accumulation and a high in the mid 20s. Cloudy with snow flurries tonight and a low around 15. Mostly cloudy Friday with a high in the mid 20s.

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NOT BEAUTIFUL TO ALL. The 2 inches of snow that blanketed the Quad-City area might be beautiful to some, especially scenes like this one in Civic Park this morning, but it did create less than desirable driving conditions which are responsible for at least 11 accidents, one with minor injuries. (Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)



CRASHES THROUGH HOUSE. Granite City firefighters prepare to hook up an exhaust fan, at left, to clear the home of Donna Tyler, 1640 E. 23rd St., of natural gas fumes after a car driven by Dennis Lienke, 38, of 2330 Iowa St., crashed through the corner of the dwelling, severing a gas meter. The car continued across an alley and finally came to rest against an apartment house at 1638 E. 23rd St., above, nearly injuring Delbert Madison, an Illinois Power troubleshooter, who points at the basement door he had just exited and was standing by. Lienke, who was heading west on East 23rd Street and failed to make the right curve towards Madison Avenue, was charged with DUI and failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident. He was admitted to St. Elizabeth Medical Center with severe lacerations to his face. He consented to a blood alcohol test there. (Press-Record Photo)

Ainad Motor Patrol installs

The 1985 officers of the 400 Patrol of Ainad Shrine Temple were installed in formal ceremonies conducted at Sunset Hills Country Club.

After the dinner hour Chief Rabbon Joseph Barnes installed the following officers, John Tucker, president, Don Masters, vice president, Richard Kagy, secretary, Grant Harbison, treasurer, and Vernon Clutts, chaplain of the unit.

President Tucker then presented the retiring president, Rosser T. McGee with the Shriner of the Year award.

Remarks were heard then by Joseph Barnes, John Tucker and Tom McGee.

Members of the Ainad Temple Divin present were Chief Rabbon Barnes and his wife, Linda, and Oriental Guide Irvin Slate Jr. and his wife, Ann. Other guests were Marsha Clutts, Sheryl McGee, John

Tucker Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tucker, and social members attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis and Bernard Royce.

Members present included, Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. John Hamm, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Pirtle, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Clutts, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Harbison, Mr. and Mrs. Rosser T. McGee, Mr. and Mrs. Don Masters, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Woford, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kagy, Mr. and Mrs. Al Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caraker.

PLAN COMMISSION WILL NOT MEET IN JANUARY

Due to the lack of business, the Granite City Plan Commission will not meet during the month of January. Secretary Rosalee Perigen will inform the public of the next meeting.

Cahokia Mounds history presentations start Sunday

The new year of 1985 is continuing the revitalization of Cahokia Mounds Historic Site, with the development of a new \$6 million Interpretive Center. To celebrate, Cahokia Mounds Historic Site, in cooperation with Cahokia Mounds Museum Society, will be presenting many exciting programs for families.

Opening the new year is a lecture series entitled "American Bottom Archaeology." This series, consisting of five lectures, is designed to emphasize the importance of the American Bottom as an archaeological resource. Cahokia Mounds Historic Site and other nearby archaeological sites will be featured in this program.

The American Bottom lecture series is free and open to the public. All programs will be in the Theatre Building behind the Museum and will begin at 1:30 p.m.

span from the beginnings of human activity in the eastern United States through the historic era into several periods: Paleo (12,000-8000 BC) big game hunting; Archaic (8000-1000 BC) small game hunting, fishing and wild plant collecting; Woodland (1000 BC-1000 AD) beginnings of pottery and plant cultivation; Mississippian (800-1500 AD) intensive corn agriculture, large permanent villages and platform mounds (the largest of which is Monks Mound at Cahokia); and Historic (1500 AD-present) arrival of Europeans.

This Sunday, Jan. 13, Dr. Steve Ahler and Dale McElrath will speak about the Paleo and Archaic periods.

On Sunday, Feb. 10, the Woodland period will be presented by Tom Emerson, Tom Maher and Dr. Andrew Fortner.

Sunday, March 3, Dr. John Kelly

and Douglas Jackson will discuss the Emergent Mississippian.

On Sunday, April 21, Bill Woods will open the discussion of the Mississippian period by examining a specialized Mississippian farmstead and Dr. George Milner will lecture on "New Information on Mississippian Settlements and Mississippian Burials."

This series will close on Sunday, May 12, with the Oneota (1450-1500 AD) by Mark Mehner and Historic by Dr. Margaret Jackson.

The celebration will continue through the 1985 year into 1986, when the opening of the new Interpretive

Center is scheduled, with Indian technology demonstrations on Saturdays in the museum, seasonal nature hikes, craft classes, guided tours, a simulated dig designed for participation by children. Field school's Kick Day (May 19), Rediscover Cahokia (Aug. 10 and 11) and more.

More information is available from the site at 7850 Collinsville Road, East St. Louis, Ill. 62201, or calling 344-5268.

Cahokia Mounds Historic Site is located on Business Route 40 (Collinsville Road) at the end of Sand Prairie Lane.

Tentative county multiplier is 'one'

Madison County has been issued a tentative property assessment equalization factor of one, according to J. Thomas Johnson, director of the Illinois Department of Revenue.

The property assessment equalization factor, often called the "multiplier," is the method used to achieve uniform property assessments among counties, as required by law.

As the department sees it, this equalization is particularly important because some of the state's 6,800 local taxing districts overlap into two or more counties. Examples are school districts, college districts and fire protection districts.

If there was no equalization among counties, substantial inequities among taxpayers with comparable properties would result, Johnson said.

State law requires property in Illinois to be assessed at one-third of its market value. Farm property is assessed differently, with farm homesites and dwellings subject to regular assessing and equalization procedures, but with farmland and buildings assessed according to standards based on productivity.

The equalization factor is determined annually for each county by comparing the sales price of individual properties sold over the past three years to the assessed value placed on those properties by the county assessor.

If this three-year average level of assessment is one-third of market value, the equalization factor will be one. If the average level of assessment is greater than one-third of market value, the equalization factor will be less than one.

And if the average level of assessment is less than one-third of market value, the equalization factor will be greater than one. This county for many years has achieved a

multiplier of one, in effect the absence of a multiplier.

Assessments in Madison County are at 33.56 percent of market value, based on sales of properties in 1981, 1982 and 1983.

The equalization factor currently being assigned is for 1984 taxes, payable in 1985. Last year's equalization factor for Madison County also was one, meaning that the only changes will result from individual increases or decreases, plus the effect of township multipliers set by Madison County assessment officials.

The new tentative factor is subject to change (1) if the county's Board of Review takes actions which significantly affect the county assessments or (2) if local officials or others can present data showing that the Revenue Department's estimates of the average level of assessments in the county should be adjusted.

A public hearing on the tentative multiplier will be held between 20 and 30 days after the tentative factor is published in a newspaper of general circulation within the county.

A change in the equalization factor does not mean total property tax bills will increase or decrease, Johnson noted. Tax bills are determined by local taxing bodies when they request money each year to provide services to local citizens.

If the amount requested by taxing districts is no greater than the amount received in the previous year, then total property taxes will not increase even if assessments may have increased.

The assessed value of an individual property determines what portion of the tax burden a specific taxpayer will assume. That individual's portion of tax responsibility is not changed by the multiplier, Johnson concluded.

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IMPROVING SWIMMING STROKES IS YMCA TOPIC

The Tri-City Area YMCA will conduct a competitive swimming stroke improvement class for youth ages 6 to 12 years old, starting Friday, Jan. 11. The class meets from 4 to 4:45 p.m. each Friday. Cost is \$2 per class, or \$8 per month.

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Madison ambulance proposes serving Venice

By VALERIE EVENDEN
of the Press-Record

Although the city of Venice agreed to retain Campbell Ambulance Service for the next 12 months in an open-ended agreement ratified at its Oct. 16 session, Venice aldermen presented a proposed contract for review by the Madison Fire Department Ambulance Service at the city council meeting Tuesday night.

Mayor Tyrone Echols noted two representatives of the Madison ambulance service were present at the Dec. 21 meeting and the agreement received this week is a result of their

attendance.

THERE WAS no formal presentation by the Madison officials at the December session, it was learned. Neither was the Madison proposal discussed at Tuesday night's session.

Mayor Echols noted, however, that in accordance with the proposed contract with Madison, the most amount of money for which the city of Venice would be responsible is \$60 per call, plus \$2 per mile after the first five miles.

Commenting on his personal feelings about the issue, the mayor said, "I do hold exception to the part in

Article 9 which states priority will be given calls from within the city of Madison.

"THIS MAY have some serious ramifications, so I suggest you study the contract for a decision at a later date," Mayor Echols added.

The section referred to by the mayor, states in part, "...Both parties acknowledge that the city of Madison is obligated to and will give priority to calls within the city of Madison.

"The city of Madison will exercise its best efforts to provide prompt service to the city of Venice pur-

suant to the terms and provisions of this agreement and all other such agreements the city of Madison has entered into and or may enter into with other entities (communities)."

MAYOR ECHOLS noted that rates listed in the proposal would apply only if Madison was the primary provider of ambulance service to Venice.

Should an individual's bill remain unpaid after 90 days, Venice would be charged a rate of \$48 a trip without oxygen, and \$54 if oxygen is used, plus \$1 per mile, for Public Aid recipients; or \$60 with no extra charge for oxygen, plus \$2 per mile after five miles, for Medicare recipients, the proposal states.

The proposal also specifies that residents of Venice will be charged the same base fee as Madison residents—a base fee of \$75 with no extra charge for oxygen, plus \$2 per mile after five miles.

INDIVIDUAL charges to Medicare recipients whether residents or non-residents of Madison or Venice were listed at \$70, with no extra charge for oxygen, plus \$2 per mile after five miles.

The basic fee for non-residents of Madison or Venice was stated at \$125 with no extra charge for oxygen, plus \$2 per mile after five miles, according to information provided in the agreement.

Mayor Echols suggested council members talk with residents of their individual wards about the proposal before any formal action is taken.

FOR THE MOST part, the Venice aldermen had expressed satisfaction with service being provided by the Campbell Ambulance Service prior to that firm's contract being renewed in October, it was noted.

In answer to an inquiry from Second Ward Alderman Hank Svezla concerning progress of the cable television installation, Mayor Echols responded, "I believe they are still stringing cable over near the Bissell Street Apartments, but they should be finished soon."

Other council members reported that representatives of South-Western Cable TV presently are now going door-to-door signing up residents for cable TV service.

"WE ARE in business then," the mayor retorted.

Venice has been attempting to get cable television service for more than two years with various obstacles and numerous setbacks experienced along the way.

South-Western Cable TV, Ltd., agreed to provide service after three other companies backed out of agreements or were unable to fulfill their franchising contracts with the community.

Grassroots government

Upcoming meetings of Quad-City area governmental taxing bodies include:

Venice Park Board 7 p.m. today, Jan. 10, at Venice Recreation Center.

Granite City Park Board (special meeting) 6 p.m. Monday, Jan. 14, at Wilson Park office.

Nameoki Town Board 7 p.m. Monday, Jan. 14, at 4250 Highway 162.

Boy falls off curb into path of auto

Danny W. Hunziker, 13, of 2673 Washington Ave., was injured when he fell off the curb into the roadway and landed in front of a southbound auto on Madison Avenue at 3:45 p.m. Monday.

The boy lost his footing and fell while standing at the curb on the west side of Madison Avenue, about 50 feet south of the Nameoki Road intersection, he told police.

Carolyn A. Hester, 36, of 2272 State St., driver of the car, reported applying the brakes, but was unable to stop in time.

Although the accident report noted the boy sustained an injury, there was no indication that he required immediate medical attention.

Registration taken Jan. 12 at GCC

Granite City Center of Belleville Area College has scheduled a Saturday registration day.

Students may register from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Jan. 12 at the center, 4950 Maryville Road. This registration is only at GCC and only for courses of, stop in time.

STUDENTS MAY also register from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays and from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Fridays at the center's main office.

Lottery

Results of the Illinois State Lottery games were:

Monday, Jan. 7: 470
Pick 4 Game: 4666
Tuesday, Jan. 8: 579
Pick 4 Game: 2622
Wednesday, Jan. 9: 660
Pick 4 Game: 3111

STRANGER ATTEMPTS TO PICK UP SCHOOL GIRL

A 9-year-old school girl told Madison police at 3:30 p.m. Monday that she was on her way home from school when a strange man driving in a tan vehicle drove alongside of her and attempted to get her to take a ride with him.

The girl told police that she ran away and hid until she saw the suspect vehicle pass her. The incident occurred in the parking lot of the Quad Club, 615 Madison Ave., Madison.

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Echols to seek re-election

By VALERIE EVENDEN
of the Press-Record

Mayor Tyrone Echols will file Monday for re-election as mayor of Venice for a second four-year term of office, he announced this week.

In the April 2 election, the mayor will head a slate of four incumbent aldermen and two other elected city officials, using the Citizens Progressive Party as the name for their collective caucus.

MAYOR ECHOLS will be opposed for the mayoral spot by Fourth Ward Alderman Victor Valentine Sr., with a third candidate considering running against the two announced candidates, it was learned this week.

A resident of Venice the past 43 years, Mayor Echols ran unopposed for his first four-year term of office as mayor in April 1981.

Previously, he served as Venice's top elected official from April 1979.

THE MAYOR also served for six years as Fourth Ward alderman in Venice prior to assuming the duties of mayor.

Echols' candidacy for re-election as mayor received an endorsement in mid-October when Illinois State Comptroller Roland Burris and East St. Louis Mayor Carl Officer both praised the mayor personally and also paid tribute to the city's current administration.

The occasion was an appreciation dinner, honoring Echols, at the new Venice Senior Citizens' Community Center that was attended by 300 persons.

ECHOLS is a past president of the Illinois Chapter of the National Council of Black Mayors and is the

current chairman of a special caucus of black elected officials, which was organized in the area last June.

He attended Dunbar Elementary School and is a graduate of Madison High School and Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Echols is employed as a supervisor for Metro-East Sanitary District. Previously, he worked eight years at Granite City Steel and for three years as a salesman with National Life Insurance Co.

HE IS a member of Mount Nebo Missionary Baptist Church, the Masonic Order and the NAACP. He was formerly on the board of directors of the United Way and has been active in other area organizations.

Echols has been an active proponent of his community's efforts in continuing to seek Enterprise Zone status as a means of attracting new industry and therefore new jobs to the area, and recently encouraged the formation of a Neighborhood Crime Blocker program, involving police department personnel and citizens.

The mayor and his wife, Evelyn, and children, reside at 321 Weaver St., Venice.

OTHER INCUMBENT Venice officials running for re-election April 2 on the Citizens Progressive Party ticket, according to Echols, are:

First Ward Alderman John T. Fleig, Second Ward Alderman Hank A. Svezla, Third Ward Alderman John R. Ervin, Fourth Ward Alderman Charles Haynes Sr., City Clerk Ralph "Dewey" Brawley and City Treasurer J. Alan Gardner.

Dispute occurs over political sign

A dispute over the placement of a political sign in Madison resulted in one of the parties signing an assault complaint against the other and the other threatening to file counter-charges.

Officers were dispatched to the auto body shop of Andy Economy, 1330 Madison Ave., Madison, in regards to the dispute. According to police reports, Economy asked a man who is related to the owner of the property between 1328 and 1330 Madison Ave., to remove a political sign that was placed on what Economy said was his fence.

The man reportedly went to his truck, retrieved a club and allegedly threatened to strike Economy if he attempted to remove the sign.

Police advised Economy that he could remove the sign and told him to follow the matter up with the state's attorney's office. He signed a complaint, but charges had not yet been authorized Wednesday.

In a later incident, the owner of the property adjacent to Economy's business, advised police that someone damaged a 12-foot section of the chain link fence.

Conservation District dinner Feb. 9

The Madison County Soil and Water Conservation District's annual dinner meeting will be Saturday, Feb. 9, at St. Peter's Lutheran School in Prairie Grove, Ill. Registration will begin at 6:30 p.m. A beef and hash dinner will be served at 7 p.m. Following the dinner, there will be a short business meeting and election of directors.

The guest speaker for the evening is James Tischhauser, Jim and his wife, Marilyn, farm south of Greenville. "Jim has a very humorous talk on some of his farming experiences. We are sure that he will keep you thoroughly entertained as he urges you to 'Do Something - Lead, Follow, or Get Out of the Way,'" a spokesman said.

Tickets are \$6 and can be purchased from any of the District Directors or by contacting the Soil and Water

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Donald Gardner of 902 Third St., Venice, told police at 6:25 a.m. Wednesday, that someone broke into his car, taking a stereo equalizer. The car was parked in front of his residence at the time of the incident.

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NO FIRE SALE. Sales personnel of Glik's Department Store in Bellemore Village Shopping Center begin the scrub down of the store in preparation of restocking with spring fashions. Plans call for a Feb. 7 reopening of the store which received smoke damage in the Dec. 26 fire that destroyed several other of-

fices and stores in the center. All the merchandise damaged by smoke in the fire was sold by the store's insurance company and will be sold in outlets near Boston, Mass., and in Tulsa, Okla. Glik's ceiling and lighting will be refurbished for the February reopening.

(Press-Record Photo by Patrick Foley)

School trim costs

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the school financial campaign.

At Hogan's suggestion Tuesday, Mack Johnson, who led the referendum drive, is to be offered the chairmanship of the committee by Supt. Kraus.

The committee's initial membership was selected mainly by Hogan in 1981, and joining the president in a 4-3 decision to activate the panel now were Secretary Alan Crider, Treasurer David Partney and Mrs. Ruth Lahr.

CONCERN WAS VOICED by Dewey Melton, Thomas Miosky and Monroe Worthen—the board minority since the November 1983 election—over how the committee's direction will be determined, and whether working with it may consume too much of the already-depleted administrative staff's time.

Melton said the committee should function within an expanded Citizens Advisory Committee rather than outside the CAC, which has existed for many years.

Partney praised the CAC's help but said it contains only a small number of members from a limited number of organizations, some of the members residing outside the school district. He said many of those serving were appointed because they are business people who can attend daytime meetings of various groups.

PEOPLE WHO WORK in industries or elsewhere during the day can be of great value to a citizen committee because, Partney said, they are usually parents of students and are intensely interested in making the local schools effective.

Hogan began the discussion by proposing a new leader for the committee, since he has advanced from school treasurer to board president. He said the new group could help evaluate which programs need to be retained and which could be ended.

Opposing board members stressed the time element. They said it is important that administrators' reports and data reach the board quickly this year because key decisions are only a few weeks away.

MELTON NOTED he was the board liaison with the CAC for several years and that Mrs. Lahr is in her second year as the liaison. He added that the CAC is ideally structured to help the board, but Partney called for involvement of a "broader spectrum" of the public.

Miosky said, "The direction and purpose of this proposal bother me. Instead of this, we need to resume re-educating the board, with as many citizens who can attend sitting here as we spend a half-hour at the start of each meeting listening to teachers and others from the different grades, schools and departments."

Miosky recalled that the previous series on numerous education topics proved valuable to all in increasing knowledge and understanding of what local educators were accomplishing.

"The discussions, which included verbal presentations followed by questions and answers, were halted several years ago when the board began spending more time on financial matters. Now that several relatively new members are on the board, and new methods and approaches are in use, a revival of the dialogues would be wise, he commented."

PARTNEY SAID he believed the time devoted by the school district staff to the new citizen group would not be extensive.

After the 4-3 approving vote, Supt. Kraus said by necessity he will be spending much of his time in the next seven weeks preparing analyses for the board to aid it in weighing good and bad points of potential cost initiatives.

In the fall campaign, advocates of two "yes" ballot markings had said the future of School District Nine and the Granite City community depended on the outcome, since failure might lead to outside control of the district. They said defeat of both proposals would be devastating, and that loss of either one would leave the district still facing a bleak outlook.

SINCE THE MOST that could be submitted to voters in 10-year working cash bonds was \$6.6 million, and the district was \$7.6 million short (\$2.1 million as of June 1984 and a \$500,000 imbalance in the fall of 1984), \$1 million was sought through a permanent change in the education fund rate limit.

Because a large number of early retirements by school personnel in June 1986 will cost about \$1 million in salary contributions by District Nine, that obligation would have consumed the second year's 40-cent yield.

But 1985 still poses the biggest balancing-act dilemma, officials say, despite agreements freezing employees' pay for yet another year. A cash flow problem has been projected for late this winter, although the scheduled bond sale may alleviate it.

EXCEPTIONS to the current pay freeze are increment raises (based on advancement up the experience ladder), the last of which for '84-'85 will be on the Jan. 21 board agenda.

Public promises were made in the tax campaign that no money from either ballot proposal would be used for general pay boosts, and this has been followed.

This school year alone, compared to last year, the district lost \$860,000 in state aid and \$160,000 due to lower assessed valuation, the then-Pres. Partney told local groups during the fall, adding: "We borrowed \$5 million in tax anticipation notes, met some payroll by issuing teacher pay orders, and will need to borrow another \$3.6 million, but no financial institutions have made a commitment to loan it to us (as of October 1984)."

Supt. Kraus told organizations that enrollment has been decreasing about two percent a year, reducing eligibility for state funding.

A RESURGENCE of business and industrial activity could stimulate population growth and economic well being, but there has not yet been a reversal in the enrollment trend, the superintendent reported to fall campaign gatherings. He remarked that a dozen years ago the number of pupils was nearing 16,000; the latest (Nov. 30) tally is 9,077.

Class size in regular rooms is about 30 to 35 students, requiring teachers to work harder than when the range was 20 to 25, Kraus said in the campaign. "Rather than a five-year plan, we have had to concentrate on a one-year plan—avoiding disaster."

"WE HAVE CLOSED many schools but cannot shut down any more buildings and still house the children. Pupils have continued to receive the same educational programs."

"We can still make some spending cuts, but if we reduce by much we would be eliminating programs, which would directly affect

students."

Finance Director Norman Owca said in the campaign, "From 1972 to 1981 we regularly spent \$500,000 less than other unit districts of comparable size in Illinois."

"WE CONTINUE to operate economically. Our yearly expenditure of \$2,700 per pupil is well below the \$2,900 average in the state. When the district laid off many people in 1982-'83, this caused an increase in such costs as unemployment compensation."

"The St. Louis Business Journal analyzed the 25 largest districts in this metropolitan area and found that Granite City schools were only spending 63.4 cents compared to the average tax dollar being spent on schools in the major districts. We are lean."

BASED ON CAMPAIGN projections, the bonds likely to be sold this month will boost the tax rate by 40 cents.

The average Granite City home is assessed at \$15,000 to \$16,000, reflecting overall value of \$45,000 to \$48,000, school leaders estimated. With the \$3,000 assessment exemption under Illinois Senate Bill 1790, the remaining \$12,500 applied to the 40-cent rate hike will increase a typical family's real estate tax for schools by \$25.48 from the present \$437 school tax to \$462.

ALLOWING FOR the federal income tax rate, ranging from zero to 25, 30, 40 or 50 percent brackets, a \$50 school tax rise amounts to a net annual added cost to the family of \$30, \$37, \$33, \$30 or \$25.

Backers commented that the \$487 example, \$50 added to \$437 (with an extra weekly cost per family of between 50 cents and \$1), is dwarfed by each of the 8,707 full-time equivalent students (8,337 currently attending the first through 12th grades and 740 in half-day kindergarten classes).

THEIR MESSAGE continues to be that the schools are a bargain.

But whether or not they are a bargain, the lack of attention being focused so far on a new election is being interpreted as reflecting (1) lack of zeal for another campaign so soon, and (2) a desire to avoid the necessity.

Whether resubmission can be avoided is expected to become clearer by March.

\$25 ambulance fee

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respond and sometimes they wouldn't," Sparks told the Press-Record recently.

THE PROBLEMS began early in October, when the town board met with a representative of ambulance company and could not come to an agreement on methods of the collecting outstanding bills.

The service company had presented a contract to the trustees in which it proposed billing a customer for the set rate and, if they were not called this amount, they would then send the bill to the township for payment.

At that time, Sparks informed Campbell that the township would pay only for those residents unable to pay and that he wanted a copy of the bill within 30 days of service, giving him time to contact the recipient and try to collect the monies.

"APPARENTLY Campbell does not agree with this action on collection since, they presented the township board with bills a year old," Sparks explained.

He added, "I cannot get money from some of these people, as they have since moved out of the area, but I could have made arrangements for payment if I had known in time. The township will pay for the indigent, but not for those who are working and have the money to take care of their own needs."

The board voted unanimously in October, with the exception of Dudley Lubbert who was absent, not to sign the Campbell contract.

MRS. PATRICIA POLLEY, town clerk, informed the board that the township tax monies cannot be used to pay ambulance bills. Payment for bills of needy people must come from general assistance or other funds, she said.

Sparks stressed Monday night, "I want the people to know that I am not the only one who voted against Campbell service, but that it was a board action."

Sparks then told the trustees he contacted Medco Ambulance Service in Wood River and they agreed to respond to ambulance calls in Chouteau Township. The number for service there is 1-234-9411, Sparks added.

IN AN EFFORT to offer another form of ambulance service, Sparks said, he contacted Lee Paul of the Mitchell Volunteer Fire Department, to see if the fire department volunteers would be interested in forming an ambulance service.

Paul said the volunteers will discuss the possibility.

Oliver C. Anderson, Hospital in Maryville, who said the facility is a state receiving hospital and, in this respect, will train people as EMTs (emergency medical technicians). He also said it is a possibility that he can provide information where the fire department may purchase an

ambulance at a lower cost, Sparks explained.

DUE TO THE controversy in the service, Trustee Steve Novosel asked the supervisor to read the contract with Campbell again. After hearing the document Novosel said, "I cannot sign that contract, but I wanted to be sure before we rejected the plan."

In concluding the discussion Supervisor Sparks answered, "If the people feel they need to be assured of ambulance service, they will have to pay the \$25 fee to Campbell or now may call Medco in Wood River. They are not without service, but will have to make a choice depending on their needs," he concluded.

DRIVERS HURT AT 21ST AND ADAMS

An accident at the intersection of Adams and 21st streets at 12:40 p.m. Monday involved a pickup truck operated by Judy M. Gordon, 31, of 28 Sunny Shores Mobile Home Park, and a northbound auto driven by James R. Stogdill, 56, of 2807 Circle Drive.

Both drivers sustained minor injuries, but neither sought immediate medical attention, reports noted.

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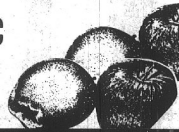
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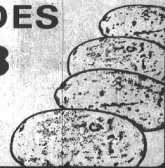
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Obituaries

Charles Bagi

The Rev. Douglas Carter conducted funeral services at the A.J. Desmond & Sons Funeral Home, Troy, Mich., at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 2, for Charles Bagi, 56, of Troy, Mich., formerly of Granite City.

He died on Dec. 30, 1984, after a lengthy illness. Mr. Bagi was a retired government employee.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Belva Bagi; two sons, Charles and Jack Bagi of Troy, Mich.; six brothers, John, Bill, Julius, Al and Ernie Bagi, all of Granite City, and Louis Bagi of Marshall, Mich.; two sisters, Mrs. Vilma Shambr, Venice and Irene Mangi, Granite City.

He was preceded in death by another brother, Joe Bagi, in January of 1982.

Burial was in White Chapel Memorial Cemetery, Troy, Mich.

Mary Breidenbach

Mrs. Mary A. (Dwyer) Breidenbach, 88, of 139 Eduardo Drive, Ill. for five years, died at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where she was a patient three weeks.

A 48-year resident of Granite City, Mrs. Breidenbach was born in Walnut Ridge, Ark., and also lived in the East St. Louis area.

She was a member of St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, a member and past president of VFW Post 1300 Auxiliary, and was a former senior vice president of the Veterans of World War I, Department of Illinois.

Mrs. Breidenbach and her husband, William Breidenbach, who survives, were married April 18, 1922, in East St. Louis.

She was preceded in death by a son, Robert C. Breidenbach in 1948.

Survivors include another son, William E. Breidenbach of Granite City, five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

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Paul Gordon

Paul B. Gordon, 65, of 1319 Washington Ave., Madison, died in the emergency room of St. Elizabeth Medical Center at 1:28 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1985. He had been ill for some time and was under the care of a physician.

A native of Arkansas, Mr. Gordon lived in St. Louis before moving to this area 10 years ago. He worked as a driver for Bi State Transit System for 27 years and retired in 1981.

Mr. Gordon was of the Protestant faith and was a member of a labor union in St. Louis.

He and his wife, the former Barbara Lewis, were married in 1971 in St. Louis.

Survivors include three sons, Jewel Gordon, Joel T. Gordon with the U.S. Marine Corps stationed at Camp Lejeune, N.C., and Kenneth D. Gordon of Venice, La.; one daughter, Mrs. Floyd (Joyce) Finger of Linn, Mo.; one brother, Elbert Coonce, East Carondelet, Ill., and four grandchildren.

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William Lange

William L. Lange, 84, of St. Charles, Mo., formerly of Granite City, a retired vice president of the former Tri-City Grocery Co., died at 4:35 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 8, 1985, at St. Joseph Health Center in St. Charles.

Born in East St. Louis, Mr. Lange lived in this area many years and was a resident of St. Charles for two years. He was employed with the grocery company 38 years prior to his retirement.

Mr. Lange was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in St. Charles.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Grace (Louvier) Lange; one daughter, Mrs. Brady (Irma) Amelung, St. Charles; a son, Thomas C. Lange of Clayton, Mo.; two sisters, Mrs. Ida Trumpe, Collinsville, and Mrs. Aurie (Norma) Blackwell, Houston, Texas; 10 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be from 5 to 9 p.m. today at Bauey Chapel, 620 Jefferson St., St. Charles, Mo., where funeral services will be conducted at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Jan. 11. Private burial will be in St. Charles Memorial Gardens. The family requests memorials to Station KFUO.

Mr. Rhodes joined the Venice Police Department on Oct. 15, 1944, and retired in August of 1971.

Other survivors include four sons, George H. and Melburn J. Rhodes, both of Venice, Lawrence A. Rhodes, St. Louis, and Glenard G. Rhodes of Collinsville; six daughters, Mrs. Rose (Louvier) Venier, Mrs. Violet G. Sharp, Mrs. Lillian A. Corbett, both of East St. Louis, Mrs. Helen V. Hardman of Edwardsville, Mrs. Marilyn J. Darden, Madison, and Mrs. Joyce N. Odom of Centreville, Ill.; 32 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren, and four sisters, Mrs. Bessie Taylor, Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Pearl Dandridge and Mrs. Myrtle Parker, both of Madison, and Mrs. Alberta Preston, East St. Louis.

He was preceded in death by another son, Marvin L. Rhodes.

Visitation will be at Officer Funeral Home, 2114 Missouri Ave., East St. Louis, Bishop P. L. Scott will officiate at 11 a.m. funeral services Saturday, Jan. 12, at Lively Stone Church, 4015 St. Louis Ave., St. Louis. Burial will be in Sunset Gardens of Memory, Millstadt.

Miss Anna S. Soechtig, 88, a lifelong resident of Granite City, died at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 8, 1985, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was a patient one week.

Miss Soechtig with her brother, Earl Soechtig and sister, Miss Myrtle Soechtig, owned and operated a greenhouse in North Granite for more than 50 years. They all retired from the business seven years ago.

Miss Soechtig was a member of St. Peter Evangelical United Church of Christ, German Chapter 650, Order of the Eastern Star, Evening Guild and St. Peter's Quilters Guild of the church, and the VFW Auxiliary.

Her only direct survivors are the brother and sister, who were in business with her.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Alfredo Tinio at 11 a.m. today at Davis Funeral Home

Lodge 272, Eagles Aerie 1126, Legion of the Moose, and was an associate member of the Madison County Police Association and the VFW Post.

Mr. Metcalf was active in union activities for more than 42 years. He was a member of the Electrical Workers' Union 915, Boilermakers of East St. Louis, Teamsters and Chauffeurs' Union 61, Letter Carriers' Union 1132, Postal Clerks Union 182 and Supervisors Union 211.

He also was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Avenette (Pritchett) Metcalf; four daughters, Mrs. Della Seam, Collinsville, Mrs. Naomi Carpenter, Las Vegas, Nev., Mrs. Glen (Delores) Flaughery, Maryville, and Mrs. John (Jacquelyn) Root of Arnold, Mo.; one brother, Malcolm Metcalf of Festus, Mo.; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Visitation will begin Friday at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard, where a Fourth Degree Chalice Ceremony will be conducted by the Knights of Columbus and a Rosary service. Other arrangements are pending at the funeral home, telephone 877-0120.

George Rhodes

George W. Rhodes, 78, of Venice, a retired patrolman with the Venice Police Department, died Friday, Jan. 4, 1985, in the Mill Haven Care Center, Millstadt, Ill.

He was born Aug. 19, 1906, in Brooklyn, Ill., the son of the late William and Eliza Rhodes. Mr. Rhodes married the former Mable H. Boyd who survives, in Madison on Dec. 22, 1928.

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Arthur 'Pete' Metcalf

Arthur 'Pete' Metcalf, 75, of 2718 Cayuga St., a retired assistant postmaster, former Granite City School Board president and an active member of civic and community organizations, died at 8:55 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 9, 1985, in the emergency room of St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He was ill for 18 months.

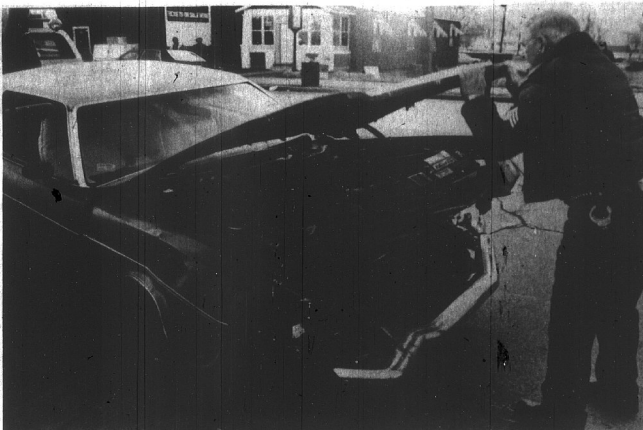
Mr. Metcalf began his career with the post office in December 1935 as a substitute mail carrier hired to deliver the Christmas mail and subsequently became a regular employee. He was assistant postmaster for Granite City at the time of his retirement Dec. 31, 1971, after 35 years of service.

He was appointed to the Granite City Board of Education in August 1967 to fill an unexpired term and later was elected to the board and served as president and treasurer.

During this time he served as chairman of the Special Education District Region I Board. Mr. Metcalf was honored in 1970 when the Granite City Junior High named him "Boss of the Year" and he also was presented the "Top Hat Award" by the Granite City Business and Professional Women's Club for outstanding community service.

Mr. Metcalf was a past president of the Granite City Optimist Club and a member of the Elk's Lodge 1063, Mexican Honorary Commission where he was elected treasurer, and a board member for OATH.

He also was an active member of the Knights of Columbus Tri-Cities Council 1988, held a third and fourth degree and was a past grand knight. Mr. Metcalf held membership in the Boosters of the Fighting Warriors at Granite City High School, Moose



DRIVER SERIOUSLY INJURED. Linda Sue Pierson, 25, of St. Louis, was taken by ambulance to St. Elizabeth Medical Center, after her car collided with a parked trailer in the 300 block of Broadway, Venice. The trailer, driven by James A. Revisky, 55, of Panama, Ill., was parked in the westbound lanes with its flashers on. Mrs. Pierson was charged with no valid registration for the vehicle and illegal transportation of alcohol. She was later transferred to Firmin Desloge Hospital, St. Louis. (Press-Record Photo)

\$1100 CASH, WATCHES GONE

Richard Maher of 641 Washington Ave., Venice, told police earlier this week that someone broke into his home by entering through the back door. Taken were \$1,100 in cash, three watches—one of them a gold watch with seven diamonds and some credit cards.

Chapel, 21st Street and Cleveland Boulevard. Burial was in St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road.

Joyce Talbert

Mrs. Joyce J. (Tindall) Talbert, 61, of Coulterville, Ill., formerly of Granite City, died Monday, Jan. 7, 1985, at Sparta Community Hospital.

She was born in Granite City and lived here many years prior to moving to her present address. Mrs. Talbert was of the Pentecostal faith.

Survivors include her husband, Harlan Talbert; three sons, Canyon Roberts, Ave. Ill., John Roberts of Sparta, and Dale Roberts of Murphysboro, Ill.; a daughter, Mrs. Shirley Marjanovich, Home, N.Y.; two brothers, Benjamin Tindall and Ora Tindall, both of Granite City, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. today, Jan. 10, at Pyatt Funeral Home in Coulterville, Ill. Burial will be in the Coulterville Cemetery.

Arthur Wilburn

Funeral services for Arthur W. Wilburn, 21, of Arlington Heights, near Granite City, were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 8, at Braun Funeral Home, 3701 Falling Springs Road, Cahokia. Burial was in Holy Cross Cemetery in Fairview Heights.

Mr. Wilburn was pronounced dead at 6:50 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 5, 1985, by St. Clair County Deputy Coroner Al Ransom, following a shooting at a two-family house in the 100 block of North B Street in East St. Louis. An inquest is pending.

East St. Louis police said a dispute among friends led to the shooting. Born in Idaho, Mr. Wilburn resided in Cahokia prior to moving to Granite City about two months ago.

He was employed as a repairman at the Star Trailer Repair firm in East St. Louis.

Among the survivors are his wife, Mrs. Mary (Schwinger) Wilburn; two sons, Jeremy Michael and Jason Wayne Wilburn, at home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon (Elizabeth Gippelcher) Wilburn of Cahokia; one brother, Edwin Wilburn of Cahokia; a sister, Cecelia Wilburn of Cahokia; grandparents, Mrs. Mildred Wilburn of Seattle, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin (Betty) Dively of Cahokia, and a great-grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Farrow of St. Louis.

Daytime training center proposed

By BILL WINTER
of the Press-Record

Sale of Lake School and Tuesday of Logan School were on the school night's Board of Education agenda, but after a board discussion the possibility arose of keeping both unused buildings and renting Lake.

Decisions are planned Jan. 21. In the meantime, Supl. Frank L. Kraus hopes to persuade potential objectors that learning-disabled youngsters attending a daytime "educational training center" (ETC) would be at least as well behaved or even better behaved than the general student population.

NO 24-HOUR residency is planned, in contrast to a proposal that attracted neighborhood opposition a year ago. More than half of the children are Granite Cityans and it is important that this community be willing to educate its children, Kraus commented.

Because of the previous protest, Logan School has been studied as the possible ETC site. School Treasurer David Partney said sale of Lake could help balance this year's school budget.

Dewey Melton opposed the sale, noting that other than idle Logan and Lake the only grade school still being held in reserve for later enrollment growth is Nameoki. The latter is expensive to operate and has sustained storm-related damage, it was noted.

LAKE AND LOGAN have similar architectural designs and Lake has an additional instruction wing for special education. The board fears deterioration of such buildings if empty, but regards leasing them as an acceptable alternative.

Partney said a neighborhood meeting was planned in the event that Logan became the ETC location but that plans for such a gathering now will be held in abeyance.

Kraus said he will talk to aldermen and others with questions and can arrange for them to see a typical ETC operation in the Washington Park area.

MELTON ESTIMATED it might cost \$1,500,000 to build a school like Lake, and that the campus on East 2nd Street adjacent to Maryville Road might be worth \$150,000.

President Kelly Hogan said care must be taken, if the site is divided into more than one parcel, or full subdivision might be an unintended legal requirement.

Mrs. Pearl Cunningham, Edwardsville, dies at 95

Funeral services were conducted Monday, Jan. 7, at the Edwardsville Assembly of God for Mrs. Pearl L. Cunningham, 95, Edwardsville, mother of Mrs. Thomas (Alvera) Jones of Granite City. Burial was at Sunnyside Cemetery, Sorento.

Mrs. Cunningham died at 7:05 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 3, 1985, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville.

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Hogan said that if the board wants to auction Lake—permitting 120 days for sale by a Realtor if the minimum bid is not matched or topped—it might want to set the minimum at \$750,000 instead of the \$300,000 or \$325,000 being discussed. However, it was brought out, a broker also would have to adhere to whatever minimum price is set.

BUILT IN 1958, Lake School is described as in sound condition. It is one of the schools no longer being operated because the enrollment has dropped to about 9,000.

Thomas Mofsky said that if too many buildings are sold, it would be difficult to finance entirely new schools if they are needed in future years.

All agreed that if rezoning could be obtained in advance, idle schools would have a higher market value. Because of the difficult time the Knights of Columbus had in obtaining club zoning for the former Johnson School, future buyers may be wary, it was related.

CHIEF USES that can be assured ahead of time were said to be educational, or the provision of multiple-family housing.

Melton opposed locating an educational training center at Logan adjacent to the big Prather Elementary School. Kraus stressed his belief that an ETC would be an asset to any area, noting there is an adult in charge of each four students.

Lee Thomas of the Citizens' Forum said he had an opportunity to visit an ETC in the Wood River area and was impressed with the way it is operated. Teenagers assigned there have learning disabilities.

SOME RESIDENTS of The Anchorage senior citizen area complained in past years about a former 24-hour center at the former Stallings School building.

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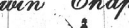
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NEW LIFE PARTY candidates in the April Madison city election are, seated from the left: William "Bill" Weidner, candidate for city clerk; John Bellcoff, candidate for mayor, and Fred A. Bathon, candidate for city treasurer. Aldermanic candidates are, standing from the left: Jim Hillmer, First Ward; Christ Costoff, Second Ward; Don Wilson, Third Ward, and the Rev. Charles Rockett, seeking re-election in the Fourth Ward. Costoff, campaign chairman, noted that the slate includes a cross section from blue collar workers to businessmen and executives with skills ranging from financial expertise in government to law enforcement. "Come Alive in '85" is the party's slogan.

IRS publication can help taxpayer

Taxpayers interested in year-round tax tips as well as in a thorough guide to filing season tax information can obtain a copy of the free IRS Publication 910, Taxpayer's Guide to IRS Information.

Publication 910 contains descriptions of IRS services available to help taxpayers prepare their tax returns or to receive assistance with their returns. The booklet also explains how to resolve questions on bills, letters and notices from the IRS and assists taxpayers with questions concerning their accounts and the status of the refunds they expect.

This year's guide lists the telephone numbers for the IRS toll-free telephone lines, which enable a taxpayer to call and speak to an IRS employee for tax assistance.

Other items of interest in the publication are explanations on collection of taxes, examination of returns and how to file an amended return. Further, the guide describes many of the free publications that are most often requested by taxpayers and includes an order blank. Publication 910 is available free from the IRS by calling 1-800-424-1040, toll-free.

YMCA offering gymnastics class

The Tri-City Area YMCA will conduct classes in gymnastics, beginning Monday, Jan. 7. The classes meet Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for four weeks. A beginners' class will be from 6 to 6:45 p.m., and an intermediate class will be from 6:45 to 7:30 p.m. Cost for each class is \$24 for non-members of the YMCA, \$12 for Physical members, and \$16 for participating members.

In addition, high school students, ages 14 to 17 years, may use the gymnastics equipment Mondays through Fridays from 3 to 5 p.m. with a physical membership. Cost of a physical membership for youth is \$4.25 per month.



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Parent-teacher conferences set at Madison schools

A parent-teacher conference day has been set for Wednesday, Jan. 23, in the Madison Community Unit District 12.

Parents will discuss the progress of their child with their child's teacher. Report cards will be given during the conference along with samples of work, projects, and test scores.

Parents are being encouraged to share their concerns and communicate any information that would aid the teacher to help the child to learn.

Since all schools will be having conferences, students will not attend school on this day. Parents are encouraged to be prompt for their appointment.

Any parent who does not have an appointment or is unsure of their appointment time should call their child's school.

GC BOARD OF APPEALS CANCELS JAN. MEETING

Due to the lack of business, the Granite City Board of Appeals will not meet during the month of January. Secretary Rosalee Perigen will inform the public of the next meeting.

SMASH SCHOOL WINDOW

Vandals smashed a front window in the main office of Grigsby Junior High School. It was reported last week.

Minister's book answers questions about death

A book that hopes to help comfort the elderly and the terminally ill on the subject of death now is available to Quad-City area residents.

The book, entitled "Death is No Victor," has been authored by a local minister, the Rev. James R. Legate Sr.

According to Rev. Legate, many people are unnecessarily frightened of death. "A lot of people won't talk about death," he said. "This fear they have is basically an offshoot of the fear of the unknown."

The Rev. Legate said he hopes the book will help people understand what death is and to overcome their inhibitions about the subject. "The book is based entirely on the Bible, so its contents should provide relief to Christians."

The book is available at two bookstores—Jacob's Well, Crossroads Plaza Shopping Center, and Sunshine Unlimited, 4925 Pontoon Road, Pontoon Beach.

The publication also may be obtained at the Word of Life Tabernacle, 1200 Meridian Ave.

The cost of the book is \$3.95, according to the Rev. Legate. "The money obtained from the sale of the books will go towards additional printings of the publication."

Rev. Legate has also written a book entitled "Suicide," which is designed to prevent persons from committing the act. According to Rev. Legate, the book has been used as an aid in hospitals.

The suicide book is also available at the bookstores and the church. Cost of the publication is \$1.

SERVE A WARRANT

Fred R. Walsh, 20, of 4938 Nameoki Road, was arrested Monday at 21st Street and Grand Avenue on an active warrant alleging failure to pay the fine on a charge of resisting arrest.

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Trattler's brings end to 76-year era

By SUSANNE INDELCATO
of the Press-Record

In 1907, Joseph Trattler left a \$5-a-week job in St. Louis, crossed the Mississippi River on a ferry to Granite City and started a tailoring shop with an investment of \$100. He located in the 1800 block of State Street and soon added a cleaning and pressing service. With additional capital, he was able to put in work clothes and furnishings which he sold to his customers as they chose cloth for the suits he tailored for them.

On Jan. 19, Joseph Trattler's 76-year-old legacy comes to an end with the closing of Trattler's, now located in the Nameoki Village Shopping Center.

HIS GRANDSON, Dan Linder, has decided to close the business due to a combination of circumstances. Difficult economic circumstances in Granite City is part of it. A change in ownership of the shopping center is a partial factor. The space is too big for us, and we didn't have much success in finding another location that is suitable," he said.

A brief history of the business appeared in the Nov. 21, 1957, issue of the Press-Record, when the com-

pany was celebrating 50 years of business and the opening of a newly-remodeled "modern" store at 20th Street and Edison Avenue on Niedringhaus Avenue.

The 1957 article states that following the initial opening of the first store, business prospered in Granite City and larger quarters became necessary. The Moltrop Building at 19th and State streets was the first move for the store. After a few years, still more space was needed, and Joseph Trattler moved his quarters to 20th and State streets.

In 1926, Trattler moved to Niedringhaus Avenue in the belief that a business area would develop along the street.

"Hard times followed Joe's ambitious plans and, in 1929 the depression set in," the article states. "Joe stuck to his ideals of quality and service with a stubbornness which was characteristic of him. Dave Linder, Joe's son-in-law (and Dan Linder's father), joined him during these times, and together they kept the business alive, a real accomplishment in those trying days of failures and bankruptcy."

"As prosperity crept back into the economy during and following World War II, plans were made for expan-

sion. However, plans had to be postponed several times. Dave (Linder) left for service, and Joe's health was failing due to the extra work caused by Dave's absence."

THE ARTICLE explains that upon Linder's return from the war, Trattler's went into full retirement due to a heart ailment. He later died in January 1953, but not before he realized that his grandson, Dan Linder, would be joining the business.

"We were located on the intersection of Niedringhaus and Edison for many, many years," Dan Linder relates. "For a while, we had two locations...one in Nameoki Village Shopping Center and one downtown. We operated both for about 18 years."

For many years, he adds, Trattler's dealt exclusively in menswear, adding women's clothing only five years ago.

"WE WERE enjoying a healthy business here," Linder commented. "When the crunch hit in 1981, we suffered a loss in volume. In 1983, the volume stabilized, and in 1984 we increased our volume and increased the profitability."

Now, Linder has set Jan. 19 as the

target date for the closing of Trattler's. Although inventory is sparse, he believes there is enough to keep the store open another week.

Linder's future plans perhaps indicate the difficulty of his decision to close the store. "I have no plans for the future. I do have to remain active and productive."

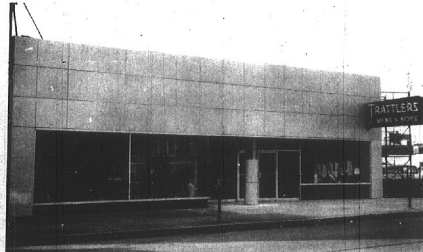
WOULD HE OPEN another clothing store should the opportunity arise? No, I decided some years ago that if I ever closed this business, I wouldn't relocate."

His family, like the store, is somewhat of an institution in Granite City. Linder's mother, and Joseph Trattler's daughter, Sadie, graduated from Granite City High School and the family has resided here for many years, although Sadie Trattler now lives in Creve Coeur, Mo.

Dan Linder also graduated from the local high school and has been active in a number of civic organizations, including the Chamber of Commerce, the Associated Retailers' association, Jaycees and the Granite City Elks Lodge. In addition, he has served on the Granite City School Board and is a past president of the Alumni Association for the high school.



FORGONE, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN. Trattler's clothing store will close Jan. 19 after 76 years in business. The store first opened on State Street in 1907, but later moved to the corner of 20th and State streets, as shown in the photo at left. Pictured is



owner Joseph Trattler (with hat). Fifty years later, a remodeled store opened at 20th Street and Edison Avenue, photo at right. By then Mr. Trattler had died, and the store was under the management of his son-in-law and grandson.

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New program discourages young cigarette smokers

The American Lung Association of Illinois is offering a new "Biomonitoring" classroom program to schools in this area during the months of March and May.

This is the first such program to be offered in Illinois in one of very few in the country. In a one week course, the students will utilize equipment which will prove immediately the harmful effects of smoking.

Among the experiments in the course is the testing of hand steadiness, heart rate and temperature before and after smoking. In most cases, smoking immediately increases the amount of

carbon monoxide in the blood, increases heart rate, increases hand tremor and lowers skin temperature, which constricts blood vessels.

The primary goal is to demonstrate to young people that smoking does affect them adversely and immediately. While adult smoking has been decreasing over recent years, smoking among young people, especially young women, has increased at an alarming rate.

It is this concern which has prompted the American Lung Association of Illinois to make this course available to schools. Previous studies have shown that 24.4 percent of smoking students in the program quit smoking or cut down after participating in the course.

The American Lung Association of Illinois is willing to lend this equipment to groups other than high schools. Persons interested in obtaining the materials may contact the American Lung Association of Illinois, Lewis-Clark Region, 324 Joan Ave., Marissa, Ill., 62257.

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Transit fund surplus may top \$3.3 million in '85

By PAUL GUSE

A nearly \$3.3 million budget surplus the Madison County Transit District is expecting by the end of 1985 is the ticket to the success of the county's transit needs, according to a district official.

Although the huge surplus is ill-thought of by some, district chairman William Haine said the saved money is necessary to insure the continued funding of Bi-State Development Agency and other transit programs in the county.

"IT IS THE same problem we've had before," Haine said. The district has had a multi-million dollar surplus for several years.

To transit district officials, the surplus is seen as a defense against ominous signs of the future. Haine said the district expects the federal monies which now help support transit operations in the county to be cut off in the near future.

The Reagan administration plans to reduce the federal deficit by cutting subsidies to transit providers, such as the Madison County Transit District, Haine said. He said the cuts are planned for this summer.

The district's surplus would be used to support the transit agencies which would otherwise be without funds when that "rainy day" comes, Haine said.

"WE'VE BEEN stingy with Bi-State, and we've been stingy with local transit agencies petitioning for funds," Haine said. This "stinginess" is to prepare them for the future day when the surplus does not exist, he said.

Haine said there are two reasons for the surplus accumulated by the district: the thrifty spending of the board; and the quarter-cent sales tax collected to, in part, fund Bi-State operations in Metro-East, which is more than adequate for the "conservative budget" set by the board.

The tax has caused Haine in the past to push for a reduction in the rate. The issue was met with resistance from district manager Rudy Johnson and officials of the East-West Gateway Coordinating Council, according to Haine.

He said the board received complaints from businesses, which felt changing the tax rate would be confusing and complicate their operations.

"IT IS CONFUSION, a burden on businesses," Haine said. He believes a reduction in the tax would not be noticeable to consumers.

Haine said, however, that if the board had long-term information concerning future federal subsidies, it would possibly be in favor of eliminating or reducing the quarter-cent tax.

If long-term federal funding would continue, we could cut the rate," Haine said. "But it won't." Although the surplus and the interest it is earning in banks is a much-needed tool in light of future cuts in subsidies, he said, the district is aware of the negative side of sitting on the funds, namely the public's view of this practice.

"It is a burden," Haine said. "It is a pain in the neck."

"But we are avoiding spending money just for the sake of spending money," he added.

THE DISTRICT proposed a program in January 1984 that would have reduced the \$3 million bond the board had at that time. The board suggested a road improvement plan in which \$1 million would be spent to resurface county roads on which Bi-State buses travel.

That plan was tabled when then-assistant state attorney Marshall "Zeke" Smith suggested possible legal problems.

The issue is still tangled in the legal process and the transit board is awaiting an opinion from the state attorney general.

"It was also suggested at that time to suspend the tax levy."

The transit board has recently been increasing its financial support of local transit services. It has picked up services previously provided by the Economic Opportunity Commission, which folded a year ago.

THE BOARD HAS implemented the Collinsville Shuttle, which is to start service this month, and changes in the Granite City shuttle service.

By providing more of these services, the board is in a more precarious position if federal funds are cut this summer; this places greater importance on the surplus, the chairman thinks.

"There is the danger that (the cuts) would impair the service mandated by law that the board should provide," Haine warned.

Sponsors sought for tax clinics

The Internal Revenue Service is seeking groups who are interested in sponsoring a free tax clinic through the IRS Outreach Program.

Under this program IRS tax specialists will go to convenient community locations to help taxpayers prepare their federal income tax returns for 1984. Several sessions can be conducted during one day, and sessions may be held during either daytime or evening hours on both weekdays and weekends.

Last year successful sponsoring groups included libraries, civic organizations, shopping centers, churches and community centers. For further information, interested groups may contact the taxpayer education coordinator in their district by calling toll-free at 1-800-424-1040.

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'Maybe He Loved Basketball Too Much'

"He was the most coachable and most humble person I've ever been associated with," Don Deterding, Gary Simpson's basketball coach.

"I don't think I ever played a game in that gym in Granite City that it wasn't full. I've been told that if you didn't get there by halftime of the junior varsity game, you'd have to sit at the top of the bleachers. The team won. But it was Gary. They came to see Gary play." John Van Buskirk, Gary's friend and a co-captain with him during the 1968-69 basketball season.

"He never had visions of grandeur. Some people shoot for things they can't have. Gary aimed down, to something all of us turned out to be." Ralph Burnett, who said Simpson was his best friend. He said they used to play basketball at the high school gymnasium from early morning until dark as kids, when they were given 26 cents apiece, the cost of a hamburger and root beer and a penny tax at Barney's.

"I'm thankful for the time we had. Compared to eternity, there's not a whole lot of difference in 29 years or 70 years." Ron Simpson, Gary's brother.

By JOE THOMPSON
of the Press-Record

Gary Simpson has been dead a little more than four years. He died from cancer at 4:05 a.m., Nov. 22, 1980 at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis. He was 29.

The obituary announcing his death was brief. It said he had been a life-long resident of this community. It listed his survivors, which included a wife and five children. It didn't say that he wore jersey No. "32" when he played basketball at Granite City High School, and later played for a brief while at Louisiana State University and St. Louis University. It didn't say how well he performed, how exciting he was to watch. It didn't describe his penetrating, almost acrobatic style of driving to the basket.

If he wasn't the best basketball player to come from this town, he certainly was its most exciting.

Gary would have settled for just a brief account of his death. He never was comfortable in the public eye. When his brother, Ron, went to collect his belongings, he didn't find any clippings or trophies that Gary had preserved, documenting his greatness. Ron found only one thing that Gary had saved. That was a basketball.

He was unemployed when he died. He had worked at Conalco in Madison, an aluminum plant. He enjoyed his job. He earned steady income. He had a little money in the bank. He had a home. He had his family. He was living, as Ralph Burnett says, "an every day type life." It was the kind of life, away from the public glare, Burnett believes Gary experienced his greatest joy.

He says, "I don't think I saw Gary happier than in an everyday family

situation. It was something special for Gary to be an everyday person.

He had been laid off at Conalco about the same time he hurt his leg, which is to say the first time the jump appeared. Before he died, however, Gary managed to take his family to Orlando, Fla., to visit Disneyworld. They made the trip by car. Gary's leg was heavily bandaged, and there probably was a lot of pain. But he made the trip anyway. "It was a last thing he had with his family," said Ron, who is a year younger than Gary. "He knew a lot sooner than the rest of us it was a lot more serious than we thought."

All along, Ron said, there was hope that Gary might lick the cancer. He said doctors thought they might be able to cut the tumor out, and that Gary could get around in a leg brace.

But the crushing blow came when a further test showed the cancer cells had spread throughout his body. Gary never came out of the hospital after that.

He had a lot of visitors. His high school basketball coach, Don Deterding, was one. They shared a special relationship. Deterding used to tease Gary, telling him he didn't think he played good defense when, in fact, he didn't think he was bad at all. Gary, in turn, would joke with Deterding, insisting he could dribble through his press — blindfolded.

Deterding says now, "The son-of-a-gun probably could."

Ralph Burnett also visited. He might have been Gary's best friend. They had shared, as Burnett said, "a lifetime of memories." Burnett said that outside his family, Gary was the first person he knew.

As a longtime foreman at Granite City Steel, the 33-year-old Burnett said he and Gary played

every kind of game imaginable as kids.

"When there wasn't a game to play, we'd make one up," he said. Ralph had visited with Gary the night before he died. Arriving home from the hospital shortly after midnight, he had told his wife he didn't think Gary would last through the morning. When the call came, the news, Ralph said, seemed almost anticlimatic.

Well, said Ron, who had been with his brother until the machine monitoring his heart beat flared for a final time, who then quietly began making the phone calls, "It's over."

Burnett said memories of Gary are still with him. "There isn't a day that goes by I don't think of him," he says. "Not one day."

Sitting in his Granite City home a little more than four years after that early morning November telephone call, Burnett's eyes glistened.

"The only regret I have is that people never got to know the real Gary. He got credit for being a good basketball player. But he never got the credit coming to him for being a good person."

Gary had been a brilliant basketball player. During the 1968-69 season, his final year in high school, Gary scored 689 points. It's the most points ever scored by a Warrior player in a single season. In his final game on March 10, 1969, a loss to Alton in the semifinals of the Wood River Regional tournament, an account of the game in the Press-Record said that Gary had been given a standing ovation. Gary had fouled out with 1:42 left in the third quarter, and as he walked to the bench, the near capacity crowd rose and applauded him. "Aware," the Press-Record said, "they had seen their star perform for the last time in a Warrior basketball uniform."

The 15 points Gary scored that night brought his season scoring average to 23.9 points per game, the second highest scoring average in Warrior history. Gary averaged 24.9 points per contest his junior year — third best scoring average for a Warrior player.

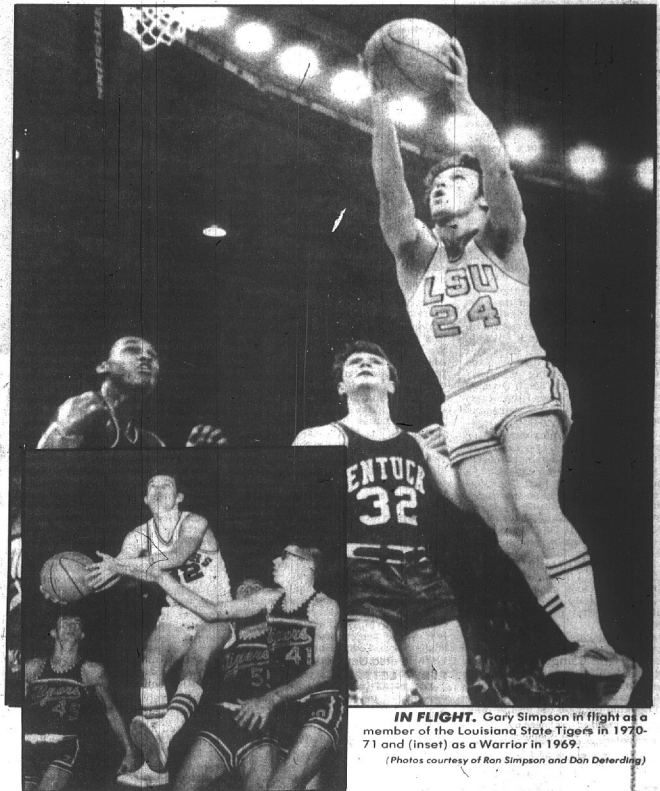
He scored 1,334 points during his career, second highest to Rich Williams' 1,604 career points.

Gary scored 47 points in one game, three fewer than the record held by Terry Phipps.

He might have scored a lot more points in that contest, except that Deterding took him from the game.

Gary probably enjoyed the rest. "Gary never thought of that (records)," said John Van Buskirk, who along with Gary was a co-captain of the team. "I don't even think he knew what the school record was. Someone had to point it out to him. But records weren't what we were shooting for."

Gary's next basketball stop was Louisiana State University. And how they loved him. He arrived on Dec. 17, 1970. The night before, LSU had walloped Tulane in their season opener. When subscribers to the Baton Rouge Morning Advocate opened the newspaper to the sports



IN FLIGHT. Gary Simpson in flight as a member of the Louisiana State Tigers in 1970-71 and (inset) as a Warrior in 1969.

(Photos courtesy of Ron Simpson and Don Deterding)

page, across the top was the banner headline, "LSU Smacks Greenie Cagers, 94-79."

The sub-headline below read, "Gary Simpson High For Tigers With 27 Points."

Gary was only a sophomore. If it wasn't enough that Gary's play was such his name merited being included in a headline, there were two photographs of him splashed across the page. One was especially breathtaking. The camera had caught Gary's 6'1" frame high in the air, legs stretched far apart as if he was sky-walking, arms stretched out, holding the ball toward the basket.

Gary wasn't just any sophomore. He was "Super Soph," as the caption below the picture read.

When Gary scored 16 points in LSU's 87-77 victory over Florida in its Southeastern Conference opener, Mike Cook, the sportswriter of the Baton Rouge State Times wrote in his lead paragraph, "Pete...who?"

He was referring to Pete Maravich, who had graduated from LSU the previous year. Maravich, nicknamed "Pistol" Pete, would eventually sparkle in the National Basketball Association.

But there was a new sparkle at LSU now. And how they loved taking Gary's picture. Across the top of the State Times was a sequence of four pictures showing Gary driving to the hoop.

It is now Friday of last week. That evening, Deterding would take the basketball Warriors into Collinsville

for an early Southwestern Conference showdown. Nearly 15 years ago in only his second season as the Warriors' head coach, he had taken another Warrior team into Collinsville.

The Warriors came away victorious, the triumph giving Deterding the distinction of being the first Collinsville alumnus to defeat Vergil Fletcher in basketball. And how he beamed. The victory also marked the first time the Warriors had beaten Collinsville in six years, a period spanning 14 games.

Gary Simpson scored 23 points to lead the way.

Now, sitting in his office, he

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Beat Kahoks

Warrior girls get first win

By JAMES BLASINGAME
of the Press-Record

COLLINSVILLE — After eight straight disappointments, the Granite City High School girls' basketball team brought home its first win of the season Tuesday night. The Warriors edged Collinsville's Lady Kahoks 33-31.

In the early going, Granite City dominated the backboards at both ends of the court. Center Loretta Cox, forward Debbie Brandt and guard Alicia Melton, all scored on offensive rebound baskets, and Melton was a perfect 4-for-4 from the charity stripe to push the Warriors out to a 15-10 first quarter lead.

The second period was all Granite City. ALL Granite City. The Warriors' zone defense forced Collinsville to shoot from the perimeter, while collapsing on the Lady Kahoks during those rare instances when they managed to work the ball inside. Diane Kassinger's free throw with 1:06 left in the half was the only Collinsville score in the second quarter.

Warrior coach Gordon Galbreath singled out Brandt, a senior, as being Granite City's defensive floor captain.

"She (Brandt) does a good job underneath," said Galbreath. "She lets everyone know where the other

ones (players) are. She's our leader out there. Brandt does a heckuva job talking."

Brandt and her teammates enjoyed a 12-point margin at the intermission, but that steadily diminished throughout the remaining half.

The inside shooting touch that had helped the Warriors inflate a double-digit cushion suddenly disappeared. A lifetime of memories, the Warriors said, Granite City's margin was sliced in half 23-23.

With 5:50 left, the Warriors' lead was two points. Melton and Brandt were both playing with four fouls, and the tenacious Granite City defense became timid. The Lady Kahoks moved the ball around the horn until they could pass it inside to center Vicki Semanisin. Semanisin scored 12 points in the second half and finished with 20.

GRANITE CITY clung to its two-point lead for the final five minutes of the contest, but Collinsville, having a chance to tie, tied the ball with 40 seconds left. The Lady Kahoks worked the ball around the perimeter and called a timeout with :18 on the clock.

When Collinsville took the floor, freshman Gina Rhodes penetrated as a Warrior zone and put up a shot with six seconds left. The ball bounced off the left side of the rim and into

the hands of Laura Hamilton. Hamilton's five-footer was long off the right side of the hoop as the buzzer sounded, and Granite City had its first victory.

"I THINK they (the Warrior players) got tired," said Galbreath. "That and the fact that we got into foul trouble. Melton and Brandt had four fouls. When you get those fouls, it's hard to play relaxed."

"We were afraid to foul. I couldn't get them to pressure defensively like we did the first half. Our kids were dropping off too much, because we were afraid of fouling," Galbreath said. "But we came out a winner, and that's the purpose of it."

The Warriors will shoot for win No. 2 on Thursday when they host Belleville East. Game time is 6 p.m.

COLLINSVILLE				
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GRANITE CITY				
15	8	6	4	33

COLLINSVILLE (31): Geaschel 2, LeCuyer 2, Kassinger 1, Yuss 2, Hamilton 2, Rhodes 2, Semanisin 20. FG 13, FT 5, PF 17.

GRANITE CITY (33): Barrington 3, Cox 11, Melton 12, Brandt 7, FG 11, FT 11, PF 11.

A Commentary Simpson and some other greats

By AL BARNES
of the Press-Record

Who was the best out-court shot in all of the St. Louis metropolitan basketball history?

Gary Simpson, the subject of Joe Thompson's feature story in today's edition of the Press-Record, must rank up there in the top five. And, as far as overall scoring is concerned, his ability to drive through opponent's airtight defenses and score, ranks him up there either one or two in my personal memory book.

The other prep scoring ace from both outside and inside was Freddy Kovap of the brilliant Missouri State High School state tournament winning Beaumont High teams in back-to-back campaigns, first in 1947 and then in 1948.

Kovap went on to star for St. Louis University for four years in the Bills great glory day on the hardwood court.

For the pure out-court deadeye shot Collinsville's Sammy Miranda was, by far, the best I've ever seen. Only Bob Pettit from the LSU's Tigers in college and longtime ace of the St. Louis Hawks came close to matching Miranda. The short, sylph-like Miranda who went on to All-American honors under Coach Branch McCracken at Indiana was not only a deadly shooter from outside but was a superb play-maker and led the Big 10 his junior and senior years in "assists."

Granite City has at least two other contenders for outcourt shooting laurels: Len Davis in the late 1920's and Rich Williams. Williams went on to All-American honors at Bradley University and starred for the Braves when they won the NIT at Madison Square Garden.

However, Granite City's all-time "clutch" shooter and playmaker has to be Andy Phillips, the guy who paced the Warriors to their one and only state high school basketball crown in 1940. And, after service in World War II, Andy returned to the University of Illinois to star for the Illinois "fabulous" "Wiz Kids" for two years. And, then on to a lengthy career in the pro basketball ranks.

Madison High has produced a whole flock of outstanding prep cagers and shooting aces, but two stand out in everyone's minds and memories: Bobby Page and Don Freeman. Page played for the St. Louis University Bills while Freeman was everyone's All-Everything up at the University of Illinois.

Venice High has produced so many outstanding shooters one is risking his life to pick out just one. However, one that has to be mentioned as the No. 1 shooter at Venice is Rich Essington. Essington went on to star for Harry Gallatin at Southern Illinois University. Edwardsville and with John (Champ) Summers, gave the Cougars their first winning season.

Essington then capped his career by returning to his old high school and directing Venice to the Illinois State Class A championship in 1975. The Devils that year finished with a 32-2 record, one of the state's best ever.

Edwardsville High has had its share of really outstanding shooters, most under the coaching of Joe Loco, the Tigers' Terrific Trio include: Don Ohi, Governor Vaughn and Keshob (Buz) Shaw. Ohi, now a businessman in Edwardsville, starred in the pros as a member of the Detroit team. Vaughn played at Illinois while Shaw starred at Illinois State University.

Two other shooting stars from the area, Collinsville's Buddy Bauer and Jack McWhirter, were what is known as "pure shooters." Very seldom did they capture game-winning honors because they were so selective in their shots.

But, in conclusion the most amazing long-distance bomber of them all and I hesitated to even mention him because most of the Press-Record readers are too young to have remembered him, was Johnny Logan, ex-Indiana St. Louis Bombers whose home court was the Arena.

His specialty was the set, two-handed shot from 20 to 30 feet out. He rarely, if ever, missed. He could play with the Pros today in the NBA.

Warriors Win 11-0 Skaters maul McCluer

By ALAN L. GERSTENECKER
Sports Editor
of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — Inside the lobby of the Wilson Park Ice Rink there's a sign cautioning persons of the hazards of walking in the lobby while wearing ice skates.

Following the Granite City hockey warriors' 11-0 victory over the McCluer Comets Monday night, ice rink managers may want to post another warning sign in the lobby. One to visiting high school hockey teams that reads: *Attention: Have no regard for your team's record! Schedule a game with the GCHS club hockey team. It's an experience you'll never forget.*

IT'S a sure bet that Monday night's hockey game was an experience that will live long in the minds of many of the Comets. The Warriors' outskated, outchecked, outbustled, outscored and just plain outplayed McCluer (Mo.) High enroute to their landslide victory.

For the Warriors, it was their 13th victory of the season and their second consecutive after suffering their only setback of the season on New Year's Eve to South Division leader Webster Groves. Monday's victory over McCluer improved the Warriors' record to 11-1 against South Division teams in the Mid-States High School Hockey League. The Warriors lead their division with a 5-0 tally.

"WE JUST didn't play our game," said Warrior coach Garry Henson of his team's only loss against Webster Groves. "It was New Year's Eve — the holidays — I just think we weren't concentrating on the game. That, coupled with the 12-day layoff we experienced during because of the holidays, contributed to the loss. We were pretty rusty going into that game," Henson said.

But, against Oakville, it was a different story. I think they (Granite City skaters) took exception to the loss to Webster Groves. We came out to that first period and blew them away."

After dropping the game to Webster Groves, the Warriors defeated Oakville much the same way they did McCluer Monday night. The Warriors shut out Oakville 10-0.

"Looking back on the loss, it may

have been the best thing for us," Henson said. "Few teams ever finish the season undefeated. I'm hoping that the loss opened some eyes. No team, us included, is so good that they can't be beaten."

Henson cited last year's powerhouse, CBC (Christian Brothers of St. Louis) as an example. The Cadets dashed away from the rest of teams in the league beating everyone before losing its first game late in the season. Says Henson, then CBC proceeded with some difficulty, towards the playoffs. And in the end, the Warriors almost knocked off the Cadets.

The Cadets, the best team last year, Henson says, beat the Warriors 5-3 for third place. Hazelwood East went on to win the title in a 4-2 victory over Desmet.

"WE WERE trying to avoid the downfall that CBC experienced after their first loss. That's why we were so happy that we played so well against Oakville and again tonight," Henson said.

There was little wrong with the Warriors' game Monday night. Displaying a balanced scoring attack that featured performances by the Warriors' most experienced skater, senior captain Chris Carden, and freshman Matt Krekovich, the Warriors were awesome.

Carden and senior Dave Young each pumped in hat tricks for the Warriors' cause while Krekovich, playing in his first varsity contest, also picked up a goal in the lopsided victory.

FOR CARDEN, who leads the team with 24 goals this season, it was his third hat trick performance of the season.

"Chris is an opportunist," Henson said searching for the proper words to describe his team's most lethal offensive weapon. "He's always there. He always seems to be around the puck when it's near the net."

In addition to those goals scored by Carden, Young and Krekovich, other goals were scored Monday came from Mark Doniff, who had two, while senior Matt Laub, and sophomore Todd Hinterser, each rounded out the Warrior scoring with one goal apiece.

THE WARRIOR offensive machine was not the only part of its game that was in full gear. Their defense,

anchored by goalie senior Tom Schnefke, was equal to the task.

"Any time you shut out another team your defense should be commended. I can't say enough about the job that Tom's (Schnefke) done in there for us. He stood in there tonight and really took some good shots. He's really tough," Henson said.

But as great and as apparently perfect as the Warriors played Monday, Henson saw room for improvement.

"YOU GUYS looked like you had trouble getting back and in position," Henson said. "So tomorrow we're skating end to end."

Hinterser, who was standing near by when Henson made the announcement, jokingly voiced his disapproval.

"C'mon coach. What'd you want? Twenty goals and a shutout?" Hinterser said.

Henson was ecstatic about the victory, but he wasn't going to let on. But as far as he and assistant coach Jerry Roderick are concerned, the Warriors can't be conditioned too well.

"WE PLAY position hockey — basic, fundamental hockey. We forecheck 110 percent and backcheck 150 percent," Henson said of his hockey philosophy.

"When we're killing a penalty, we play a box type defense," Henson said, illustrating "the Warriors" with four of his fingers in the palm of his other hand. "If the puck is at center, and if it moves to either side we rotate the defense accordingly," the Warrior coach said rotating his fingers to either side.

But basically, we try to stay composed," Henson said. "That's most important."

THERE MUST be something to Henson's philosophy. The Warriors are perhaps the best in the league in killing penalties, nearly 90 percent effective thus far this season. Monday night, through seven penalties, the Warriors were perfect, 100 percent effective in their penalty-killing abilities.

The win was Granite City's seventh home victory of the season. Saturday the Warriors travel to the North County Ice Rink where they take on Hazelwood East in 8:15 p.m. matchup. Their next home game is Monday as they host Hazelwood Central at 8:30 p.m.

SCORING	0	0	0	0
McCLUER	0	0	0	0
WARRIORS	1	6	4	11

First Period — 1. G.C. Young (Yurkovich, Stegelmeyer), 5:46. Penalties — Yurkovich, G.C. (unsportsmanlike), 2:04.

Second Period — 2. G.C. Laub (Doniff), 12:48. 3. G.C. Young (Moore), 12:09. 4. G.C. Carden (Wilmouth), 9:17. 5. Doniff (Laub), 6:04. 6. G.C. Krekovich (Schreiber, Suess), 3:19. 7. G.C. Doniff (Wilmouth), 1:23. Penalties — Hinterser, G.C. (delay of game), 8:38; Schuster, McC. (slashing), 5:38; Flanagan, McC. (tripping), 5:31.

Third Period — 8. G.C. Young (Yurkovich), 9:24. 9. G.C. Hinterser (Moore, Laub), 6:48. 10. G.C. Carden (Laub), 3:45. 11. G.C. Carden (Doniff, Laub), 3:05. Penalties — Krekovich, G.C. (elbowing), 12:01; Wilmouth, G.C. (high stick), 11:32; Gooding, McC. (roughing), 10:06; Gholson, McC. (cross-checking), 8:18; Fedora, G.C. (slashing), 5:56; Yurkovich, G.C. (cross-checking), 4:40.

Shots On Goal — G.C. 30, McCluer 11. Saves — G.C. 30, (Schnefke), McCluer 19, (Marquardt).



TAKING CONTROL. Granite City High School's Dave Wilmouth skates in front of McCluer's Doug Zweifel during the second period Monday's Mid-States Hockey League game at the Wilson Park Ice Rink. The Warriors' aggressive style of hockey was too much for the visiting Comets as they went on to an easy 11-0 victory.

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Cage Action Tuesday Madison outduels Minutemen

By JOE THOMPSON
of the Press-Record

MADISON — The Madison High Trojans, receiving its scoring punch from an assortment of weapons, blitzed the Bunker Hill High Minutemen Tuesday night, 62-21.

In the wake of his team's third loss in 12 outings, Jim Hafka, Bunker Hill's long time and respected coach, said something that seemed rather profound.

"I'd rather play a good team like that and lose than a bad team and bomb them," he said.

The Trojans are a good team. In fact, their coach, Rodney Watson, was all sunshine afterward.

"MUCH BETTER, much better," he said.

Much better, he said, because he thought the Trojans put the clamps on the Minutemen defensively.

Much better, too, because he thinks the Trojans are becoming familiar with what he hopes to accomplish.

In fact, he told his team that before the start of the game.

"I told them I thought they were getting a better feeling of what I want," he said.

If the players were given report cards, Watson would pencil in an "A." As their basketball coach, Tro-

jan players had to settle for a pat on the back from their coach.

"That was the best ball we've had yet," said Watson.

THE TROJANS got 14 points from Reggie Banks. When he got himself into foul trouble early in the second half, the Trojans had to look around for scoring help.

Stepping forward were Anthony Newsome and Nathan Young, who scored 13 and eight points respectively.

Newsome was truly Anthony on the spot, connecting on five of eight free throws, including three in the final minute. In fact, after falling behind 47-35 after three quarters, the Minutemen closed with a rush. They came to within three points of the Madison (57-54) when Newsome connected on both ends of a one on one.

Anthony Valentine chipped in with eight points, while James Bennett and Darnell Marshall collected four points apiece.

Banks picked up two fouls early in the first quarter. He was charged with a third personal foul into the second quarter. He spent the rest of

the half on the bench.

Banks' departure appeared to fire up the Trojans, who converted a 17-14 deficit into a 26-27 halftime lead.

HAFKA, in turn, counted seven misses by his players from within five feet of the basket.

"Easy shots inside," he lamented.

The Trojans raised their record to 8-3.

It was a big night for the Trojans all around. The junior varsity team scored a 65-57 victory over time. It marked the first time in 10 years Bunker Hill's varsity and junior varsity teams had lost on the same night, Bunker Hill's assistant coach, Dave James, said.

SCORING	17	10	8	19	54
B'HILL	17	10	8	19	54
MADISON	14	14	19	15	62

BUNKER HILL — Hammer 2 0 4, Lawrence 7 4 6 18, Trost 1 0 2 2, Scott 7 2 3 16, Bain 4 0 1 8, Finn 1 4 4 5, PG 44, FT 10-15, PF 10.

MADISON — Marshall 2 0 4, Valentine 4 0 8, Banks 7 0 14, Bennett 2 0 4, Williams 4 2 2 10, N. Young 4 0 4, Newsome 4 5 6, PG 22, FT 7-10, PF 14.

Girls' Basketball Trojanettes devastate Dupo, 62-21

DUPO — What a difference a new week and a new opponent can make.

The Madison Trojanettes hammered the Dupo Tigerettes 62-21 Tuesday night, in stark contrast to their 66-30 loss to the Edwardsville Tigers last week.

Madison coach Carol Cole said the team members demonstrated what they learned during practices this week.

"We worked really hard on shooting, blocking off the boards and fast breaks," said Madison coach Carol Cole. "It paid off. We looked good."

THE TROJANETTES made 41 percent from the field, far better than

their lowly 19 percent last week.

"Their shooting improved 100 percent," said Cole. "We had them shoot from one area and move to another after they made so many. It seemed to work."

Kim Stanley led the winning effort by dumping in 25 — more points than the entire Dupo team. Ironically, Edwardsville's Elaine Onley scored 30 points last week to equal the score of the Madison team.

"Kim (Stanley) was really burning," said Cole. "She was playing so well. She needed that personal boost so I let her play in most of the game."

DUPO coach Vickie Sheets said her team has lost in similar fashion to all of this year's opponents. Cole, a former classmate of Sheets while at

Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, said Dupo "played us as badly as we played Edwardsville."

"Vickie said they have a poor team. But I say that about our team, too. Neither one of us has the experience that we've had before."

Angelia Riley followed Stanley in scoring with 17 points.

"She (Riley) was rebounding and shooting well," said Cole. "She was really helping out."

The win improves Madison to 3-2 on the season. The Trojanettes will take on Beaumont today at 8 p.m. in their home opener.

SCORING	15	19	7	21	62
MADISON	15	19	7	21	62
DUPO	5	5	2	9	21

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**GRANITE CITY CENTER
ATHLETE of the WEEK**

CHUCK GARDNER

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Chuck was named the Granite City Center Athlete of the Week for January 1-6. Chuck pinned his Meramec Junior College opponent at 1:47 of the first period in the 125-pound division.

Commenting on Gardner's performance over the last two seasons, Coach Walt Whitaker commented, "Chuck has the ability to move on to Nationals. In order to do this, however, he'll have to wrestle at 118. If he can dedicate himself to get down to 118, he can make the Nationals."

Gardner is a sophomore at Granite City Center.

Thursday SPORTS

Simpson

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memory of the way Gary played burns fiercely.

"Gary undoubtedly was the best basketball player I've ever had," Deterding said.

"Gary was a penetrator," Deterding said. "I can remember one episode on the film when he left his feet 15 feet from the basket. Someone knocked him down. He threw it up over his head and made it. Then he slid on the floor another 10 feet. That was the kind of basketball player he was."

Unlike other high scorers, Deterding said Gary revelled in the courts that went with driving to the basket.

"He had super body balance," Deterding said. "The biggest problem I had was to keep him from leaving his feet. I've seen him get knocked every which way and he always knew where the basket was."

But Gary's drive to basketball glory didn't last long.

He withdrew from school at LSU after his sophomore year. He never again played big-time basketball.

Ron Simpson is 32 now. More than anyone, he is the protector, the guardian of his brother's legacy.

It is important to know just why Gary withdrew from school. There had been lots of stories. One was that he had flunked out.

"Baloney," said Ron. "It is important for Ron to put the record straight."

He said his brother, and two other players including a star, had been suspended from the team during the season. Ron said, however, Gary had been reinstated toward the latter part of the year.

Just why Gary had been suspended surfaced at the team's Awards Banquet at the end of the season. Ron said that Pres Maravich, LSU's coach, introduced Gary and another of the reinstated players as "The Mardi Gras Twins."

Ron said his brother had also received his letter.

There was another problem, however. Ron said Gary was short on school credits. He said that LSU officials wanted Gary to enroll in summer school, but Gary decided not to and dropped out.

It is at this point where the portrait of Simpson, not the basketball player, but the man emerges. The man who, as Burnett said, "never had visions of grandeur."

"He had no goals other than playing basketball," Deterding said. "That was his biggest weakness... he didn't know where he was going down the road."

It had nothing to do with his intellect.

"The irony of the thing is that Gary was very intelligent," Deterding said. "Yet he was always in grade trouble. I'd call him into the office to talk about his grades and he'd say, 'Don't worry coach. I've got a test this week. I'll take care of it.'"

"And," Deterding said, "he'd ace it."

Then, Deterding said, Gary would let his grades slump again.

Shortly after leaving Louisiana State University, Gary was drafted into the Army. Remember? There was a war going on at the time.

Besides fighting the Viet Cong, they also played basketball in the Army. That's what Gary did for before hurting his leg. He served the final year of a two-year term as an induction clerk stationed in St. Louis.

He made another try at playing, college basketball after leaving the Army, this time at St. Louis University. But Gary was a lot older than the rest of the players and 20 pounds over his playing weight.

His marvelous ability was also misdirected. You could almost sense the outrage in Deterding when he pointed out that the St. Louis U coach had installed Gary at the point guard position.

Didn't they know Gary's best game wasn't passing the ball off? He was a scorer!

When things didn't work out at St. Louis U, Gary took his game to the park district. It was there he played, and he was a familiar figure wearing out of sweat pants that dropped to his knee, and maybe shorts over that.

Sometimes, said Van Buskirk, Gary would be standing there in his typical garb. Some kids would pick him third or fourth, not knowing who he was.

"The next time they chose sides," Van Buskirk said. "You knew who got picked first."

"Gary was king of the courts. Of course, he was not a park district player. He was much better than that."

Then, again, the fact he kept playing at all, let alone so religiously, more than anything might help complete the portrait.

Gary simply liked playing the game.

"That was his love. He never gave it up," said Van Buskirk, who teaches at Mascoutah High School where he also coaches sophomore basketball and varsity tennis. "He played, and he played and he played."

Deterding is still in his office talking about Gary.

"A lot of coaches get these guys who are so-called super stars," said Deterding. "They're reluctant to take criticism. There was many a

year olds at 9:30 a.m. The boy and girl in each age group with the best scores advance through four tiers of competition to qualify for the national finals at Mark Square Arena in Indianapolis, Ind."

Local winners will compete against other contestants in the district event in Centra on Feb. 10. Names of the national winners will be inscribed on the Elks' National "Hoop Shoot" plaque, on permanent display in the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame in Springfield, Mass.

Boosters meet Tuesday

The Granite City High School Booster Club has scheduled its monthly meeting for this Tuesday, Jan. 15, in the school cafeteria.

According to club officer, Candy Carden, the order of business will include the upcoming chicken dance which is scheduled for Feb. 9 at the Knights of Columbus hall and a spring barbecue.

The meeting, which begins at 7:30 p.m., is open to all parents of GCHS students.

Elks Hoop Shoot Saturday

Local competition for the 13th Annual Elks' Hoop Shoot, "the national free-throw shooting contest for youngsters age 8 through 13, will be held at Grigsby Jr. High this Saturday, Jan. 12, at 8:30 a.m.

More than 3 million youngsters from throughout the country entered last year's competition for boys and girls in age categories 8-9, 10-11 and 12-13. Each contestant has 25 shots at the hoop.

Youths may register for the competition the day of the event, just prior to competing. Eight and 9 year olds will register at 8:30 a.m., 10 and 11 year olds at 9 a.m. and 12 and 13

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SportsBriefs

Tuesday Night

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ST. LOUIS — The Venice High Red Devils are good, but in highly-touted Vashon High, they met their match.

The Red Devils were crushed by Vashon Tuesday night, 85-74. It is only their second loss in 13 meetings.

It didn't take Vashon long to take control. They turned seven Red Devil turnovers in the first quarter into baskets, and never looked back after streaking to a 16-7 lead.

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Red Devils coach Clinton Harris, Jr., could only frown, looking back on that first quarter.

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P185/75R14	110.52	55.26
P195/75R14	113.96	56.88
P205/75R14	119.96	59.96
P205/75R15	123.20	61.60
P215/75R15	129.50	64.75
P225/75R15	135.84	67.92
P235/75R15	142.44	71.22

Medicare assignments accepted by chiropractor

Dr. Richard C. Reinhardt hope he soon becomes one of many, instead of one of few, who accept assignments on the federal Medicare insurance program.

Reinhardt, a chiropractic physician at 37176 Crossroads Plaza Shopping Center, has developed a program which he believes will allow Medicare recipients to receive health care subsequent to diagnosis at no additional cost.

"Aside from emergency care, there are very few doctors who are willing to accept assignment on Medicare because it pays so far below the average office call," Dr. Reinhardt commented. "The program pays only 80 percent of a \$12 office call, and \$12 office calls are non-existent."

In fact, he notes, the average office call in his office is \$31 and, of that, Medicare pays only \$10, leaving the additional costs to be borne by the patient.

The patient is then forced to pay the difference out of his pocket, if not the full amount, while their Medicare claim is pending. This makes routine health care literally unavailable to senior Americans and those on fixed incomes," Reinhardt says.

He adds that persons seeking the care of a chiropractic physician face even bigger obstacles. "Chiropractic is the second largest health-care provider in the U.S. today and each year renders care to millions of Americans. Even with the high level of utilization, it receives very little consideration in the federal Medicare plan, so little that few chiropractors are willing to accept assignment from the program. This means the patients must pay as they go or accumulate large balances on their accounts."

Reinhardt, who has practiced chiropractic medicine for 10 years, has developed the following program for Medicare recipients who wish to visit his office:

These persons in the program will be seen from 8 a.m. to noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays, unless a condition warrants more frequent visits.

Since government policy requires X-rays to establish the need for care, and since Medicare does not cover the cost of the X-rays, Reinhardt is charging a \$100 flat fee to cover all X-ray and examination expenses for one year. The fee can be paid by the patient on a payment plan agreed to by Reinhardt and the patient. The fee breaks down to \$8.33 per month.

Reinhardt notes that the fee also makes up for the \$85 deductible designated in the Medicare insurance program.

Once the X-rays have been completed and eligibility has been established, Reinhardt will file subsequent care under Medicare and accept any additional payment except what Medicare pays to him—about \$9.80.

The \$100 fee will be the maximum amount the patient will be required to pay, unless a new condition develops or an accident occurs, which would involve filing for payment from other liable parties.

Under the Medicare assignment program, Reinhardt will render whatever care is necessary, which includes physical therapy. The patient may visit the doctor as often as necessary at no out-of-pocket expense.

Reinhardt also will provide routine blood pressure, in-office urinalysis, consultations and referrals at extra charge. "Chiropractic, as much as it should be, is not usually identified with general health maintenance," he says, adding that most people won't go to a doctor for health maintenance, out of fear for the cost.

Reinhardt says it was his individual decision that led to the program. "Basically, it's my baby. I heard about the government freeze on Medicare and the raising of the deductible. Everybody in town says you're an idiot if you take assignment on Medicare. I don't feel that way. Hopefully, through public awareness, we can change the Medicare program. I hope other physicians decide to do this."

Persons interested in Dr. Reinhardt's program can obtain further information by calling his office at 877-8847.

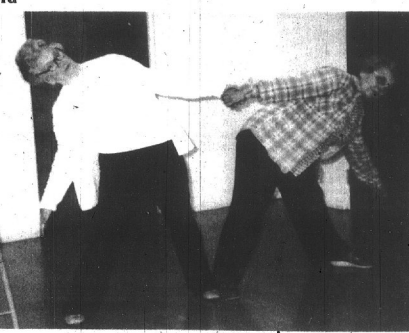
Applications open on Madison police force

Applications for persons wishing to become Madison police officers will be available at the city clerk's office or the police dispatcher's office beginning Jan. 15.

Interested persons may pick up an application form from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the 14th through the 28th.

The written test for police candidates will be given beginning at 7 p.m. on Feb. 16, at the Madison City Hall, 1239 Third St., Madison.

Applicants must be between the ages of 21 and 35 and must also be residents of the city of Madison.



REACHING OUT. Carrie Durell, left, and Jo Wilkins, right, participate in a program sponsored by the Tri-City Area YMCA and taught by Ellen Wilson. The exercise class has been developed for people over age 55 who are disabled by strokes or arthritis. Stretching activities are based on the yoga principle. The class meets at 9:30 a.m. Mondays and Thursdays for Anchorage and Kirkpatrick residents only, and at 11 a.m. Thursdays at the Venice Senior Citizens' Center for Venice and Madison residents.

Lifesaving and lifeguarding classes at YMCA

The Tri-City Area YMCA will conduct a class in lifesaving and lifeguarding beginning Thursday, Jan. 10, 1985. The class will meet from 8 to 9 p.m. for 10 weeks. Cost for the class is \$1 per week, or \$10 for the 10 weeks.

The class is open to anyone 15 years or older. More information is available from the YMCA at 876-7200.

SERIES STUDIES FARM FINANCING, PLANNING

A program entitled "Analyzing the Financial Strength of Your Farm Business" will be presented over the University of Illinois telecast system.

The program is a series of six sessions from 10 a.m. to noon on Jan. 29, Jan. 31, Feb. 5, Feb. 7, Feb. 12 and Feb. 14.

The program will cover the following topics. Session one will cover current financial conditions and preparing a balance sheet. Session two will cover analyzing and interpreting balance sheet information. Session three will cover preparing an income statement. Session four will cover analyzing and interpreting income statements, capital debt, repayment capacity and statement of change in owner equity. Session five will cover cash flow projections. Session six will cover monitoring and long range planning.

The registration fee for the series is \$20 per person or \$30 per couple. The registration deadline is today. To register, interested persons may contact the Madison County Extension office.

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Free photo I.D.s offered to seniors

Secretary of State Jim Edgar's Senior Citizens' Photo I.D. Program will be offered on Monday, Jan. 28, at the Madison Recreation Center, Seventh Street and Lee Avenue, Madison. Applications will be accepted beginning at 9:30 a.m.

"This service makes it easier for older citizens to receive a photo I.D. card without the inconvenience of going to one of our drivers' license services facilities, where they are normally issued," Edgar said.

Non-drivers will find the card will help cash checks, establish credit and verify age where proof is required. The card provides much of the identification included on a driver's license.

Three documents must be furnished for proof of identity, including at least one indicating the applicant's date of birth. Acceptable documents include a birth certificate, driver's license, insurance policy, baptismal records, cards for Social Security, voter's registration, Selective Service or an established credit card. Applicants must furnish Social Security numbers.

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Foster parents are sought who would encourage her interest in art and persuade her to complete high school.

"Jennifer is in foster care because of her mother's chronic emotional problems and continued drug abuse," according to Pat Stallion. Efforts to improve the family situation have not been successful, and Jennifer could be in foster care for a long time.

Like many foster children, she has low esteem because of her turbulent childhood. The ideal foster parent or parents for Jennifer would be able to draw her out, help her build up her self-confidence.

"Jennifer does well without a lot of supervision. She enjoys attending high school activities such as football games and school dances. She has maintained a B average in high school."

The Department of Children and Family Services has many teenagers like Jennifer. These teens are in foster care because of family problems. They are not responsible for the problems, but must suffer pain of being uprooted from loved ones and friends.

"We have a real need for homes for teens like Jennifer. Both married couples and single adults make excellent homes for troubled teens."

"The department pays a monthly board rate from \$210 per month for an infant to \$259 a month for a child over 12. Medical, dental and pharmaceutical costs are paid separately by the State of Illinois."

Foster homes must be licensed. Licensing requirements include a criminal background check, medical examinations and personal reference letters.

If you are interested in providing a loving home for Jennifer or any child from infancy to 18 years of age, please call Jane Heathcote at 876-8847. Private agency foster parents interested in caring for Jennifer should contact their local office."

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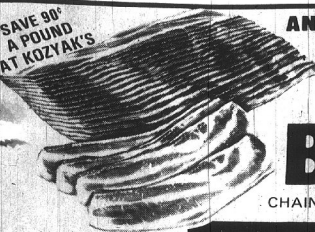
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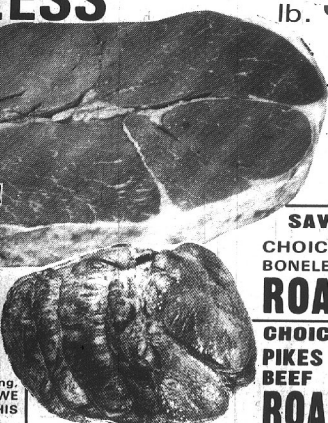
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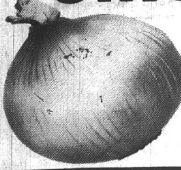
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Cluck-Draganich

Miss Sophia Rada Draganich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Draganich, 2713 Grand Ave., and Kenneth Edward Cluck Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Edward Cluck Sr., Chicago, were united in marriage on Nov. 24, at the First Presbyterian Church of Granite City.

The Rev. Richard K. Hunt officiated at the 4 o'clock evening candlelight ceremony. Isabel Schmidt presided at the organ and accompanied Keith Curtis as he sang "I Love You Truly" and "Ave Marie."

Mariuisa Mohsen, friend of the bride, was matron of honor, and Laurie Hoener, cousin of bride, and Kathy Culp, friend of bride, served as bridesmaids.

Kenneth Edward Cluck Sr., father of groom, served as best man. Charles Buttram, friend of groom, and John Gillispie, brother-in-law of groom, were groomsmen.

Frank A. Draganich, brother of bride, and Charles Buttram friend of groom, seated the guests.

A reception followed the service at the Executive Inn, St. Louis. The bride is a graduate of Granite City High School and Patricia Stevens Modeling & Finishing School. She attended Belleville Area College, and is working as a secretary stenographer for USA Troop Support Command, in St. Louis.

The groom graduated from Eisenhower High School, Blue Island, Ill., and from Western Illinois University, Macomb, Ill., with a B.A. in Political Science. He is presently attending Webster College working towards a M.A. in Business Administration, and is a captain in the U.S. Army presently stationed in St. Louis.

After a wedding trip to Hawaii, the newlywed couple will reside in University City, Mo.

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Jaclyn Kacera is christened

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Godparents were Sue Davenport, an aunt of the infant, and Steve Lengyel.

A buffet luncheon was served immediately following the ceremony to Paul Joseph Kacera, a brother of the honoree, Mrs. Margaret Kacera paternal grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dallas, maternal grandparents, Steve Lengyel, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Knox and children, Michelle and Andrea, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Grandtiller, all of Granite City, and Mrs. Davenport and Ken Redding of Springfield, Ill. and Mrs. Jeanie Kacera of St. Louis.

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Dorris-Jones

Miss Michelle Jean Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Jean) Jones, 1545 St. Clair Ave., became the bride of U.S. Army Private First Class William Dean Dorris, son of Mr. and Mrs. William P. (Donna) Dorris, 1816 Sixth St., Madison, on Dec. 21.

Judge Charles Chapman officiated at the 11:30 a.m. double ring ceremony at the Madison County Courthouse in Edwardsville.

Laura J. Hooser served as maid of honor and Bob G. Steiner, attended the groom as best man.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents following the service and later the couple departed for a wedding trip.

The bride is a 1982 graduate of Granite City High School South and is a student nurse at Barnes Hospital School of Nursing in St. Louis. She is also employed part time at Kentucky Fried Chicken, Granite City.

A 1983 graduate of Madison High School, the groom attended Belleville Area College. He is now stationed with the U.S. Army at Ayers Kassen in Kirch Con, West Germany, as a diesel mechanic.

Kevin Elliott is party honoree

Kevin Elliott celebrated his third birthday at a party hosted by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger (Cindy) Elliott, 2258 Lee Ave., this week.

Multi-colored balloons decorated the house and a "He-Man" cake centered the dining table. After the honoree opened his gifts refreshments were served by the hosts.

Those present included grandmothers, Mrs. Rose Pryor and Mrs. Clarice Elliott, and Roseanne and Casey Leibold, Ben Gaudrault, Steve Pryor, Janet Elliott, Cindy and Peggy Dennis, Angel and Jason Hayes, and Tom, Steve and Julie Ward.

Mrs. Connie Tinsley entertains guests

Mrs. Connie Tinsley, 2601 Westmoreland Drive, entertained members of the Rollettes Club during the weekend.

Prize winners for the evening were Jeannette Wilson, Toni Grim, and Kim Tinsley.

After the games the hosts served a Mexican food buffet to those named and to Evelyn Gordon, Joyce Waller, Kathleen Wofford, Helen Warfield, Diane Wilson, Edith Wofford, Kathy Chandler, Debbie Bert.

Mrs. Joyce Waller will host the next meeting in her home 2652 Rhodes St., Madison.



Pfc. and Mrs. William Dorris

Chapter hosts President's Reception

Mr. and Mrs. William Forrest, 3528 Johnson Road, hosted the President's Reception for Laureate Alpha Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority as the organizations first social meeting of the new year.

A business session was held to read a thank you note from the chapter advisor, Mrs. Lucille Voyles of Glen Carbon. She enclosed an original poem written by her husband, Les, which he dedicated to the chapter.

The buffet table was centered with a floral centerpiece filled with yellow roses. Members of the social committee assisted the hostesses as they served a full course meal.

The following members and husbands toasted the new year in champagne, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Haldeman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tolliver, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Byrnes, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Tsipiaroff, Mrs. Mike Lombardi and Miss Ruth Stoyanoff.

Prather PTA to hear public accountant

Prather Elementary School PTA will meet on Monday, Jan. 14, at 7 p.m. and the program will be presented by Frank Hollis, a local certified public accountant, the unit president Mrs. Joy Bohnenstiel announced today.

He will speak on overlooked tax deductions that most people never know about.

Movies will be shown in Rooms 43 and 45 for children whose parents are attending the PTA meeting. Parents are asked to have their children wait in the movie rooms to be picked up by them after the session, according to the unit president.

Second child arrives for Mr., Mrs. Meade

Daniel Joseph is the name selected by Mr. and Mrs. George (Debra) Meade, 2921 Ash Ave., for their second child born on Dec. 10 at St. Mary's Health Center in Richmond Heights, Mo.

The infant weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces. He has a 2½-year old brother, George.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William (Mabel) Dacus, Granite City, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle (Bonnie) Meade of Grand Tower, Ill.

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Candidates prepare

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provide an interesting race, with three persons picking up petitions, including the incumbent, Alderman Sharon Perjak. Other office-seekers are Robert Bell and Leonard Fowler.

It appears the Fifth and Sixth Ward races will only be entered by the incumbents. As of this morning, Jake Varadian, Fifth Ward, Stephen Saltich, Sixth Ward, were the only ones to pick up petitions.

In the Seventh Ward, petitions have been picked up by three persons. The incumbent in this race, Bowler, has not picked up a petition since he is seeking the mayor's office. Those picking up petitions include John "Jeff" Worthen, a Granite City Park Board commissioner, and Loren T. Worthen and Donald Stucke.

MADISON CITY

In Madison, Frank Dutko is the only Madison resident to pick up a petition in preparation of becoming a candidate in the April 2 election. He announced his intent to run for the office of mayor of Madison.

John Belcoff, now city clerk, and Third Ward Alderman Thomas Gordon are also announced candidates for the office of mayor.

OTHER aldermen of the Madison City Council whose terms expire this year are Christ Costoff, who represents the Second Ward; Charles Rockett who serves as alderman of the fourth ward; and Andy Economy who was appointed first ward alderman to replace Robert Donald Reeves when he retired in March 1984.

The term of Ida Dant, alderman at large as the result of redistricting the city in 1982, also expires. This aldermanic seat will be permanently vacated leaving two aldermen for each of the four wards. The seat vacated by Reeves also was an 'at large' position.

With Belcoff announcing he will run for mayor, the office of clerk also will be open.

The term of Hilbert Hoekstra, treasurer for the city of Madison, also expires this year.

VENICE CITY

In the city of Venice mayoral, aldermanic and city officers' races, petitions are being circulated this week by incumbent Mayor Tyrone Echols and incumbent aldermen — John T. Field, First Ward, Hank A. Svezia, Second Ward, John R. Ervin, Third Ward, and Charles Hayes Sr., Fourth Ward.

Mayor Echols and the incumbent aldermen are seeking re-election on a Citizens Progressive Party ticket, it was announced Tuesday night.

RALPH D. BRAWLEY, better known as "Dewey" incumbent city clerk and former Venice police chief, has obtained a petition for re-election, as has J. Alan Gardner Sr., incumbent city treasurer. They are running on the same CP ticket with the other council incumbents, it was learned.

Fourth Ward Alderman Victor Valentine Sr., whose council seat does not become vacant in the April 2 election, secured petitions last month and already has announced his candidacy in the Venice mayoral race.

Earl W. Hogan obtained a petition and will seek the office of first ward alderman in opposition to incumbent Alderman John Field, according to Venice City Comptroller Roseann Koelker.

RICHARD KING, a Madison County deputy sheriff and a Venice resident, has secured petitions, but has not indicated whether he will seek the office of mayor or run against incumbent Hank Svezia in the Second Ward, it was learned.

GC PARK DISTRICT

Three persons, including the two incumbents, have picked up petitions for the two seats on the Granite City Board of Park Commissioners that are at stake in the April 2 election.

Those obtaining petitions from Park Board Secretary Frank Rea include Jack Hood and Nancy Sanders, both incumbents, and Dora Damell, of 2747 Michigan Ave. All

three will run for two, six-year terms on the park board.

HOOD is completing his first, six-year term on the board and Miss Sanders is completing a two-year, unexpired term to which she was elected in 1982.

The filing period for the park district election also will begin Jan. 14 and continue to Jan. 21. Those filing petitions will have one week, beginning Jan. 22, to withdraw from the election.

VENICE PARK DISTRICT

Two seats will become vacant on the Venice Board of Park Commissioners, including seats held by Board President Arnold Johnson and Barbara Harrell.

Johnson has obtained petitions and intends to file for six-year board term in the April election, he announced last week.

Mrs. Harrell, who could not be reached for comment, has not yet indicated whether she will seek retention on the board, according to a member of the board.

GRANITE CITY TOWNSHIP

In Granite City Township, only one person, incumbent Nelson Hagnauer, has picked up a petition to run for the position of township supervisor, thus far.

The assessor's race, however, is a different story. Six persons have picked up petitions to run for the office. The incumbent, Cruse, will not seek re-election since he is running for mayor. Obtaining signatures from the township office, although two states have announced their candidates for township supervisor, the board of trustees, town clerk, assessor, collector and highway commissioner positions. All elected township positions are at stake April 2, and all positions carry four-year terms.

Mrs. Hawkins recently announced that she will seek the supervisor's post on the Citizens' Action Party. The remainder of the slate, she said, includes James Jeffries Sr., for assessor, Linda Hedger for township clerk, Charles Reed for highway commissioner, Billy Briggs for collector, and Jerry Adams, who is a former township trustee. Jan Langenstetter Ball and John Jamin A. McMillon for township trustee posts.

THE ISSUE of whether or not Nameoki Township should retain a collector is a primary issue in the campaign. Mrs. Hawkins related. We found a candidate (Bridges) who will run for collector just to abolish the job. He does not intend to take a salary. This group of candidates agrees not to set a salary for the collector," she said.

Mrs. Hawkins maintains that a collector is not necessary since the county treasurer also collects and distributes taxes in the township. Mrs. Hawkins currently is involved

in a petition drive to put the question of eliminating township collectors on the April ballot.

"We've got about 5,000 signatures (on the petitions). We hope to get it on the ballot in April. I know for sure we can get it on the ballot in November," she commented.

MORE THAN 10,000 signatures are required to put the question to countywide vote, and the petitions must be filed with Madison County Clerk Evelyn Jones by Jan. 20 to be included on the April ballot.

Meanwhile, current Nameoki Township officials and office hopefuls have joined to form the Township Improvement Party (TIP). Candidates in that party are Tax Collector Norman Hall, seeking a trustee position; Kenneth Davis, trustee candidate; Trustee Joseph Garcia, seeking re-election; Trustee Dell Whitsell, seeking election to her appointed position; Tax Assessor Carl Macios, seeking re-election; Supervisor Harry Briggs, seeking re-election; Town Clerk Donald "Lee" Ridgeway, seeking re-election; Highway Commissioner W. Lee Adams, seeking election to his appointed position, and Steve Isenbarg, candidate for tax collector.

That group pledges to use their "experience, abilities and enthusiasm to make Nameoki Township an even better place to live, work and do business."

CHOUTEAU TOWNSHIP

All Chouteau Township officials' terms will expire this year and with the announcement of Wilfred "Bud" Eberhart to retire as highway commissioner, and Steve Novosel, trustee, who also will retire from office, those two offices will be open.

Another trustee, Dudley Luebert has announced his bid for Chouteau Township highway commissioner in the April 2 election, thereby leaving another opening for trustee.

OTHERS WHOSE terms expire include Supervisor Walter "Dick" Sparks; Marion Sparks, tax assessor; Michael Johnson, tax collector; Patricia Polley, town clerk; and trustees, John Johnson and Josephine Burgence.

Those who have picked up independent petitions for candidacy in the April 2 election include Luebert as an independent candidate for highway commissioner, and Bill Chisenhall and Linda McDaniel, who picked up blank petitions, but have not yet announced the offices they seek.

VENICE TOWNSHIP

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- 30" Serpentine
- 30" Cobra
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- 24" 3M Rope
- 24" 045 Herringbone
- 24" 045 Herringbone
- 24" Serpentine
- 24" Heavy link chain
- 20" Link chain
- 18" 3M diamond/cut rope w/ 18K gold balls
- 18" 24" 3M diamond/cut rope
- 18" 3M diamond/cut rope
- 18" 045 Herringbone
- 18" 045 Herringbone
- 18" 045 Herringbone
- 18" Engraved herringbone
- 18" Color "V" chain
- 7" Tri-color "V" bracelet
- 7" 045 Herringbone bracelets
- 2-7" diamond/cut rope bracelets
- 1-16" 3M strand pearls

PENDANTS

- 1-13 ct. diamond pendant
 - 1-Amethyst & diamond pendant
- EARRINGS**
- 8 pr. Tri-color
 - 8 pr. Hammered
 - 8 pr. Gold earrings
 - 4 pr. Hoops
 - 2 pr. Pearls
 - 1 pr. Amethysts

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- 1-Barbells
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4 CASES

State, judicial salaries raised

"Lame duck" action yesterday at Springfield resulted in pay raises for state officials and judges for new terms of office beginning this month. Circuit judges here will get \$73,000 a year instead of the previous \$65,000.

State legislators are being increased in annual pay from \$25,000 to \$32,500, the governor from \$58,000 to \$85,000, Supreme Court justices \$75,000 to \$85,000, appellate justices from \$70,000 to \$80,000, statewide of-ficeholders raises of 32 to 48 percent, and members of the governor's Cabinet, varying increases.

The State Compensation Review Board recommended the raises, its second attempt after an earlier proposal for even higher pay levels was rejected by the General Assembly.

A rejection resolution lost yesterday in the State Senate by one vote, 29-23 with four voting present.

Opponents needed 30 votes to turn down the Board's proposals. Moments later, the House voted 75-31 to reject, but this had no effect; both must reject for raises to be blocked.

SELF EXAMINATION TOPIC

The next meeting of the Mastectomy Club will be on Monday, Jan. 14. The meeting will be in the President's Room of St. Elizabeth Medical Center, beginning at 7:30 p.m. The topic of discussion for the meeting is self examination. Further information is available from Sister Mary Louise Moser at 798-3377.

The Citizens for Political Honesty are filing a lawsuit to oppose the pay increases, but Gov. James R. Thompson predicted the raises will be upheld.

Rejection votes were cast by Sen. Sam Vadalabene and Rep. Sam Wolf of the local districts.

Legislative leaders were re-elected for the next two years.

Paramedic tries to aid man, gets hurt

Officers responded to a call at 2:15 a.m. Wednesday when trouble developed at the home of Joseph L. Baugus, 18, of 2929 Saratoga Ave., who allegedly was causing problems for members of a Granite City Fire Department ambulance crew, who were attempting to aid him.

Paramedics Kevin Kieley and Jon Langendien were trying to administer aid to Baugus for a hand and arm injury when the man allegedly became combative and struck Kieley in the mouth with his fist. Kieley suffered a cut to his mouth and damage to recently completed dental work, it was alleged.

It was believed that Baugus fell into a glass fish tank in the living room at his house, breaking the tank and cutting his left hand and right arm, the paramedics informed officers.

Baugus pleaded innocent to the charge in a court appearance Wednesday afternoon and he was released on a \$1,000 recognizance bond.

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Church Activities

Martin Luther King memorial set Sunday

In memory of the late Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., the New Salem Missionary Baptist Church, 1349 Klein St., Venice, will host a special service on Sunday at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, according to the Rev. John H. Williams, host pastor.

A procession of the congregation, friends and guests will enter the church at one time and sing the selection, "I Don't Feel No Way Tired."

Greetings will be extended by Nicole Williams followed by another selection entitled, "Lift Every Voice and Sing."

Proclamations announcing the birthday of Dr. King on Jan. 15, will be read by Venice Mayor Tyrone Echols and Willie Walker, executive director of the Madison County Urban League.

Members of the Madison-Venice Chapter of NAACP will attend and musical selections will be performed by Vernita Wooten, soloist, Craig Alford, a young member of the church, who will sing, "I Had A Dream." An instrumental segment will be performed by Wilbert Glasper, president of the Venice School District, and the church choir will render a special musical number.

Rev. Williams will serve as master of ceremonies, and will introduce guest speaker, the Rev. Stanley Howlett Sr., pastor of Truett Baptist Church of St. Louis.

The closing song is to be "We Shall Overcome."



PROCLAMATION.

Mayor Tyrone Echols, left, and the Rev. John H. Williams hold pictures of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. to illustrate their announcement of special services Sunday at 4 p.m. at New Salem Baptist Church, Venice.

Introduce guest speaker, the Rev. Stanley Howlett Sr., pastor of Truett Baptist Church of St. Louis.

The closing song is to be "We Shall Overcome."

Mrs. Ginny Wolfe is circle hostess

Mrs. Ginny Wolfe entertained members of the Naomi Circle of Niedringhaus United Methodist Church in her home for its first meeting of the new year.

Mary Groshong, circle leader, opened the session with prayer and conducted the business segment. The following appointments were then made: Geraldine Thomas, treasurer, Edna Stith, publicity, Mrs. Wolfe, bazaar representative, Kathleen Offt, membership.

Members were reminded of the general meeting set for today to be held in the church parlor. The program will be on "Korea" and will be given by Mrs. Offt.

Other coming events include the annual Swiss steak dinner set for Friday, April 19, in Wesley Hall. Tickets will be available from circle members at a fee of \$4.50, it was noted.

Edna Stith read the article "Into the New Year" by Jackie Howell taken from the new program books which were distributed to all circle members.

The meeting closed with the group reciting the Global Prayer for Peace followed by refreshments.

Others attending were, Jackie Brainerd, Gladys Wallace, Fern Hahn, Shirley Frick and a guest, Holly Farnsworth. Mrs. Offt will be the February hostess, the circle leader noted.

Christian Singles meet Monday night

The Christian Singles Club of Emmanuel Baptist Church, will meet Monday, Jan. 14, at the church beginning at 7 p.m.

Mary Reed, chairman of the program, extends an invitation to widows, divorcees, divorced and separated persons who wish to participate in Bible study, fellowship, games and refreshments.

Songfest Sunday at Bethel Fellowship

Bethel Baptist Fellowship, 25th and August Streets announces the "Expression of Love," from Belleville will be the featured singers at the January Songfest, Sunday, from 2 to 4 p.m. The Rev. Bob Burkett is pastor.

Also singing will be The Gospel Witness, Terry Peery and others. The Burketts will also be singing, and serve as the host group.

All are invited and is no admission charge, the minister added.

Second Baptist to host 3-day Bible Conference

Second Baptist Church, 2100 Illinois Ave., will host a three day Bible Conference beginning Friday and concluding Sunday, featuring the Rev. Ronald Bracy of Denton, Texas, Assistant Professor of Bible and director of the Hannibal LeGrange College Bible Extension Center on the campus of Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

Friday, Jan. 11, services will be from 7 to 9 p.m., Saturday Bracy will speak at the 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. service. Sunday worship hours will be at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. when the guest speaker will also address the congregation and guests.

Rev. Bracy, a native of Batesville, Ark., received his Bachelor of Science in Humanities in 1966 from the U.S. Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, Colo. He earned a Master of Divinity degree in 1980 from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas, and continues doctoral work from that institution.

The guest speaker served 10 years in the U.S. Air Force as a weapons systems operator-navigator in the RF-4C Phantom reconnaissance aircraft and as a security police operations officer. He also served from 1968-69 in the Vietnam War where he received numerous awards and recognitions for his service in the military.

He married the former Judith Rae VanHyttte of Chicago who is a certified optician and has served as a manager of Pearle Vision Center optical stores in Dallas Texas. They are the parents of two children, Tonya, 17, and Todd who is 14 years old.

They live in Carbondale and are members of Murdale Baptist Church.

New pastors installed at Bethel Bible Fellowship

Bob and Pearl Burkett officially became the pastors of Bethel Bible Fellowship, (formerly Bethel Bible Pentecostal Center), located on the corners of 25th and August Streets, in early December. The Burketts had been requested by the Rev. Timmons to become the pastors and the congregation voted unanimously for the change.

The Burketts returned to the Granite City area in December 1983 after a 12 year residence in Arizona. While in Arizona they pastored some seven years at three churches. Each church they pastored grew and prospered continuing under their pastoring, Rev. Timmons said.

Rev. and Mrs. Burkett are the parents of four sons, Bob II, age 13, sings bass and plays the bass guitar; Wes, age 13, plays the drums; Shann age 8; and Christian age 3. The Burketts are also active in Gospel Music. They have been featured in many areas of the southwestern states. They were the first Gospel Group to record a live album inside the walls of a prison in Arizona. They have sang in many churches in this area since their return here.

Rev. Burkett said, "We cordially invite everyone to visit us. If you are looking for a church large enough to know you personally - and one that will never get so big that it no longer cares about you individually, Bethel Bible Fellowship is the church you have been looking for."

The following week Rev. and Mrs. C. L. (Sam) Ruth Timmons were surprised by the members of Bethel Bible Fellowship when a "Pastor's Appreciation Service" was presented in their honor.

The Timmons had pastored the church for approximately the five, and a half years prior to their retirement on Dec. 1, 1984.

More than 100 people attended the service. Members, both past and present, were in attendance as well as friends and guests. Many gifts were presented to the Timmons.

Some sang a song in their honor and others spoke praises to them. A painting and poem entitled "God and Sam" was framed and presented to Rev. Timmons by Lee Thomas the works creator.

A bare money tree suddenly blossomed at the conclusion of the service. Refreshments were served in the church's fellowship hall.

Rev. and Mrs. Timmons both commented, "how pleased, surprised and overjoyed they were at this expression of love." The honorees will remain active at the church as pastors emeritus.

Circle to host general meeting

Esther Circle of Niedringhaus United Methodist Women, held its first meeting of 1985 in the home of Eula Davis. Those present were Grace Padlock, Ethel Lerch, Maxene Hacke, Dorothy Frohardt, Blanche Debow, Evelyn Hamrick, Karen Ambuehl and Shirley Lane.

Mrs. Corbett opened the meeting with prayer and then gave a lesson from the book "Streams in the Desert" by Mrs. Charles E. Cowman. Dorothy Frohardt then shared a musical tape of the Battle Creek Boys Choir in which her grandson Jamie Frohardt had a part in singing Jingle Bells, and the Twelve Days of Christmas.

Ethel Lerch, circle leader, discussed with the group all of the upcoming events which were listed in the new year books. Esther Circle is to be the hostess for the general meeting which will be held in the church parlor on Jan. 10th. Shirley Lane, president and Kathleen Offt, program resources chairman, will present a program on "Korea."

All members of the unit are invited to attend.

A dessert course was served to the group, by the hostess, followed by a time of fellowship after the meeting.

CWF members give holiday reports

Each circle chairman of the Christian Women's Fellowship, Central Christian Church, presented a report of circle activities during the holiday season at the CWF general meeting.

Gifts were taken to the shut-ins and visitations were made to others of the congregation during Christmas week. On Jan. 28 the women will give a January birthday party at Colonial Haven Nursing Home, according to Mrs. Mary Lee Lorton, chairman of the project.

A book report on "Dealing With Difficult People" written by Charles J. Keating was given by Barbara Rogers.

Announcements included, Area CWF Board meeting at Hamilton Avenue Christian Church in St. Louis on Jan. 22, and the CWF Midwest Conference in Kansas City on March 8 and 9th. Early registration is necessary the president, Helen Stumpe said.

Also, the members will serve the area ministers and their wives a dinner on March 16.

Margaret Rutter will serve as chairman of the nominating committee for the general CWF group.

The slate of officers will be presented at the March meeting and elected at the April session.

Mrs. Doris Edwards gave the lesson for the night entitled, "Growing Together as Disciples." Those portraying characters of the church were, Beth Spence, Helen Lorton, Margaret Rutter and Helen Stumpe. Mildred Collins concluded the evening in worship.

The next general meeting will be Feb. 7 at the church. Mrs. Stumpe will be in charge of the program on the topic of Life Without Words and the worship segment will be led by Mrs. Lynn Ross.

Mrs. Edwards is circle hostess

Members of Lydia Circle of Central Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. Doris Edwards for a holiday party and business meeting.

Shut-in assignments were distributed among the group and Mrs. Betty Kelsa gave the lesson. The worship was led by Lois and Mary Blalock.

The next circle meeting will be on Jan. 21 in the home of Mrs. Joyce Bennington and Linda Irwin will introduce a new study on the Book of John.

Refreshments were served by the hostess after the discussions.

Youth Revival set at Free Will Baptist

The congregation of the First Free Will Baptist Church, 2216 Charles St., announces special youth revival services, Jan. 11th through the 13th.

The evangelists will be Jonathan Merck from Nashville, Tenn.

He is a student at the Free Will Baptist Bible College at Nashville, Tenn., and is a student of the Bible in pastoral training. Merck is planning marriage in the next few months. His father is also a Free Will Baptist minister.

Pastor Randall Steelman invites the general public to attend these special services with youth emphasis. Call 288-2141 for more information, he added.

Calvary Pentecostal plans winter classes

Calvary Bible Institute of Calvary Pentecostal Assembly, 4650 Marvill Road, is celebrating its first anniversary with the opening of the winter semester on Jan. 15. Everyone is welcome to come and celebrate. The evening will begin with certificate presentation at 7 o'clock followed by class orientation and refreshments, the Rev. Harold Maynard announces.

This semester Tabernacle, Home and Family, Christian Ethics, Vacation Bible School, Church History, and Missionary Principles will be offered. The classes meet every Tuesday evening, and as a special commemoration the fees have been reduced so that everyone will be able to attend. For more information call Mark at 931-4090, the minister added.

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This semester Tabernacle, Home and Family, Christian Ethics, Vacation Bible School, Church History, and Missionary Principles will be offered. The classes meet every Tuesday evening, and as a special commemoration the fees have been reduced so that everyone will be able to attend. For more information call Mark at 931-4090, the minister added.

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"Strategies for Savings and Investing" will be discussed by Homemakers Extension Association local leaders at unit meetings. The lesson will include information that will range from passbook savings accounts all the way up to collectibles and antiques.

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On campus



REGISTERING FOR SPRING. Granite City Center educational specialist Don Davinroy advises Debra Simms of Cahokia about her choices for spring classes at the center.

Registration for spring classes at the college continues through Wednesday, Jan. 16.

Student compositions to highlight January concerts

Fresh composition ideas and conducting techniques for Southern Illinois University-Carbondale's undergraduate and graduate music students will highlight two School of Music concerts in January.

Student composers' works will be featured Jan. 30 in "Music From This Century," a program showcasing contemporary works.

ON JAN. 23, seven students will demonstrate their abilities as conductors during the University Wind Ensemble's winter concert, beginning at 8 p.m. in Shryock Auditorium.

Each of the students will conduct one of the ensemble pieces. They are Bruce Harris, of Glendale Heights; Benjamin Wechsler, of Mount Ver-

non; Mark Hahn, of Alton; Douglas Moore, of Pinckneyville; Jiho Chang, of Granite City; John Gerdner, of Collinsville; and Ted Henderson, of Park Forest. Henderson will conduct one of his own works, "Allegro-The March."

The late Melvin Siener, former director of bands at SIU, originated the student-conductor recitals in order to give music students an opportunity to gain firsthand experience in preparing challenging band literature for advanced musicians.

THE "MUSIC FROM THIS CENTURY" concert will start at 8 p.m. on the 30th in the Old Baptist Foundation recital hall. Selections, which will include works by students Jiho Chang, of Granite City; Lynn Laitinen, of Carbondale; James Owens, of Muskegon, Okla.; Karl Starbuck, of Herrin; and SIU music faculty member Eric Mandat. Mandat is a member of the New Arts Jazz Quintet and the New American Woodwind Quintet.

GCC students learn programming skills

Data-processing students at Belleville Area College's Granite City Center have access to the most sophisticated computer equipment BAC has to offer.

"Our computer terminals here are tied to those at the Belleville campus," Pat Stamps, an educational specialist at the center, said. "Students can learn to program in COBOL, RPG and assembly language."

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Data processing is one of the most popular programs at GCC. "The program is popular because everyone feels they need to know about computers. They are affecting every part of our life," Stamps said.

Registration for these and all classes at GCC is under way.

Approval sought for IBHE state budget

The Illinois Board of Higher Education's spending recommendations for state campuses next year have kindled faculty-staff hopes at Southern Illinois University.

Pay raises would average 8 percent at state-supported universities if the IBHE's budget proposals for the fiscal year that starts July 1 win approval in the legislature and governor's office.

Budget recommendations won IBHE approval at the board's meeting Tuesday, Jan. 8, in Chicago.

"THE IBHE recommendations constitute the best budget we have had in several years," said SIUE President Albert Somit.

Under the proposed level, they would contribute significantly to the strengthening and expansion of our programs.

"The salary increases, although the most generous in a decade, still leave us, however, a substantial distance to go," Somit said.

Students may see a five percent tuition increase, under the IBHE's proposal. But to offset its effects, the board calls for an increase of \$17.5 million to the Illinois State Scholarship Commission (ISSC), a 16 percent increase over 1985. The maximum state scholarship award would be boosted from \$2,400 to \$2,900.

OVERALL, SIU at Carbondale would receive a 10.1 percent spending hike, from \$123.1 million to \$135.5 million. That is still \$7.5 million below the university's request.

SIU Chancellor Kenneth A. Shaw also welcomed IBHE's proposed funding levels. "If fully funded, the recommendations would move in the direction of redressing some of our most pressing problems," Shaw said, citing salary proposals and a

recommendation to provide more money to sustain the growth of SIUE's research library.

Shaw also said he is pleased with the state board's emphasis on spending to strengthen undergraduate education, spur economic development, encourage achievement by minority students and strike up cooperative efforts with elementary and secondary schools.

SIUC WOULD GET nearly \$20 million for new and high-priority programs, and \$7.5 million in capital development and repair projects under the budget recommendations.

Major program boosts would be: \$80,000 for new positions and equipment in engineering; \$800,000 for computing and medical schools equipment; \$206,000 for a new Ph.D. offering in engineering; \$330,000 for a program aimed at improving mathematics, writing and science teaching in grade schools and high schools; and \$739,000 to upgrade SIUC's undergraduate programs.

SIUC capital improvements, advocated by the IBHE include \$2.7 million to buy land for expansion of the School of Medicine in Springfield; \$1.2 million to complete an unfinished second-floor wing of the Communications Building and \$14.6 million for the first phase of a planned \$5 million remodeling of Pullman Hall, built in 1951 as a training school.

A TOTAL OF 13 minor remodeling and renovation projects are recommended, totaling about \$2.2 million.

The IBHE's operating budget recommendation for the entire SIUC system totals \$191.6 million, nearly \$17 million more than this year's appropriations. About \$149 million of that would come from state funds. The rest would be money generated by SIU itself.

SIUE sets winter video schedule

The Student Program Board at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville has announced a winter quarter schedule for free video films to be shown daily in the Video Lounge of the University Center.

The films will feature some of today's top music groups and performers, as well as other movie classics. They will be presented at 12:30 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

VIDEOS FOR THE winter quarter include: "Rockworld Music Video" - Show #7 - Jan. 10 through 11; "D.C. Cab" - Jan. 14 through 18; "Dr. Strangelove" - Jan. 21 through 25;

"Rockworld Music Video" - Show #8 - Jan. 28 through Feb. 1; "The Way" - Feb. 4 through 6; "Superman II" - Feb. 11 through 13; "Educating Rita" - Feb. 18 through 22; "Rockworld Music Video" - Show #9 - Feb. 25 through March 1 and "Rockworld Music Video" - Show #10 - March 4 through 8.

Additional information concerning the video presentations may be obtained by contacting the Student Program Board at 1-692-2617.

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On campus briefs

Other area colleges

TWO GRANITE CITY STUDENTS have been admitted to the Dean's College, an undergraduate honors program at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Students selected for the Dean's College must be outstanding freshmen, sophomores or juniors with a 4.5 grade point average and they must have been recommended by five classroom teachers.

Granite Cityans include Deborah A. Harshbary, a mathematics and computer science major, and Richard C. Stille, a mathematical studies major.

TRACY NELSON OF GRANITE CITY has announced that she will attend Monmouth College beginning with the fall term in September. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Nelson is currently a senior at Granite City Senior High School where she was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students and is a member of the National Honor Society. Miss Nelson is also active in the science, social studies, 4-H and Glee Clubs.

VICTORIA MCGOVERN of Granite City, was one of 24 students at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville to be awarded Provost Scholarships. The scholarships provide tuition waivers for the 1985 winter and spring quarters.

The scholarships are based on academic achievement and promise. To be eligible, undergraduate students must have a B average and entering students must be in the top 10 percent of their high school graduating class.

DAWN MUSKIN of 2421 Glen Place, has been named to the President's Honor List at Robert Morris College for her academic achievements during the fall semester. Recipients of the honors award have maintained a GPA of 3.5 or higher for the term.

NIKYA VAUTERS of 1220 Logan Ave., Venice, was awarded an associate degree from the Robert Morris College, Carthage, Ill., at the college's December graduation ceremony.

SIU at Edwardsville

AN ARTICLE ON COMBINED magnetic and chemical investigations by William J. Woods and John W. Weymouth has been published in "Historical Archaeology." Woods is a faculty member in the department of archeological studies at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The article, "Combined Magnetic and Chemical Surveys of Forts Kaikua and de Chartres Number 1, Illinois," deals with the positive correlations between magnetic surveys, phosphates, pH and several other elements found at the sites.

Belleville Area College

BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE'S Financial Aid and Placement Office will be open from 4 to 8 p.m. the following evenings in January: Tuesday, Jan. 15; Monday, Jan. 21; Tuesday, Jan. 22; Wednesday, Jan. 23 and Thursday, Jan. 24.

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CORNER LOT. Practically rebuilt home; new central air, furnace, wiring (100 amp); plumbing and heat "heater." Aluminum siding only one year old. All this and two bedrooms for only \$20,500. Appointments will be booked so call now.



NEW LISTING ON DAWN: Good location, better than new. 3-bedroom with 2-car garage. Swimming pool, deck and privacy fence.



THREE BEDROOM BRICK with garage for only \$40,000.



42 GEORGETOWN: First time buyers, 10% down, 30-year fixed rate, 5% down and a brand new house in Pontoon Beach. First come, first serve. Limited quantity. \$42,000.



OWNER TRANSFERRED: 2-bedroom ranch, basement, in quiet area. Priced to sell in mid \$20's.



GOOD STARTER! Three bedrooms, 1-car attached garage, new roof, exterior painted just fall, inside remodeled, nice corner lot, good neighborhood.



EXTRA INSULATION! and a heat pump make this home easy to heat and cool. Three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, full basement. 2-car attached garage, big lot on the edge of town.



WANT TO TRADE HOUSES? The owner of this beautiful home in Holiday Shores needs to move to Granite City, and would consider a trade. If you want three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, two kitchens, family room with a wood burning fireplace, 2-car garage and much more, please call for more details.



NEW LISTING! BEST BUY! Must see this 6-room, 3-bedroom brick with main floor family room, plus super finished basement, 1-car garage. Super area. All for \$55,000.



NEW LISTING! ONE FULL ACRE plus 5-room home with lovely kitchen, built-in range, microwave and dishwasher, full basement, carport, fenced yard.



NEW LISTING ON WILSON PARK LANE! Five rooms, three bedrooms, full basement, 1 1/2-car garage. Under \$40,000.



NEW LISTING! 1/2-story older brick, four or five bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, full basement. New carpet in living and dining room and open stair casing. Lovely home that can be yours.



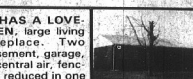
FIRST OFFERING on this story and 1/2, 4-bedroom brick and aluminum siding. Beautiful built-in kitchen, formal dining, oven and range, dishwasher, full basement. Will try VA; only \$41,900.



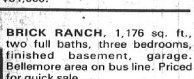
HAVE A LARGE FAMILY AND A SMALL BUDGET? Take a look at this 4-bedroom story and 1/2 on a full acre. Beautiful built-in kitchen, formal dining, living room, family room, 2 1/2 baths. Garage and outbuildings. 4-room rental house on lot also. Gas furnace and central air. Don't delay. Only \$54,900.



BRICK RANCH HAS A LOVE: NEW KITCHEN, large living room with fireplace. Two bedrooms, full basement, garage, new furnace and central air, fenced yard drastically reduced in one of Granite's finest neighborhoods.



BRICK RANCH. 1,176 sq. ft., two full baths, three bedrooms, finished basement, garage. Bellemore area on bus line. Priced for quick sale.



LOW, LOW PRICE! \$18,900 will buy this 2-bedroom home. New carpet in both bedrooms and kitchen, new flooring in bath, washer and dryer hookup, central air, 12x20 storage shed.

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GREAT INVESTMENT POTENTIAL on this commercially zoned 2-story brick with two large ground floor show rooms and living facilities upstairs. Ask for Monte Williams.

NEED MORE ROOM? Call to see this 6-room house with full basement, lots of closet and storage space and large laundry room in basement. Ask for Debby Vickers.

VERY GOOD VA LOAN ASSUMPTION on this carefree aluminum sided 2-bedroom home, full basement and new roof. Ask for Olene Earhart.

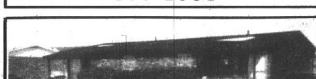
ALL ELECTRIC HOME IN MITCHELL — with three bedrooms, dining room, 2-car garage and large fenced yard. On dead-end street great for kids. Ask for Cheryl Grace.

BRICK RANCH ON A CORNER LOT with three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, full basement and attached garage. Possible owner financing for right buyer. Ask for Britt Robertson.

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New Houses on Georgetown Drive
Pontoon Beach
10% Fixed Rate
First Time Buyers, Low Down Payment
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3 BEDROOM, 2 baths, good location. Ask for Marian Cavins Realty World Star. 876-0024. 1 1/4

LOTS
128316 ft., Paddock Post vicinity.
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#7 EDUARDO DRIVE
Immaculate executive type 3 bedroom brick ranch with den, 2 baths and 2 car garage.

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USE YOUR VA on this lovely, newly remodeled 2-bedroom bungalow. New plumbing in bath and kitchen, new siding on the outside and wall to wall carpeting are just some of the pluses. Priced at only \$27,900.

YOU'LL LEAVE YOUR HEART in this extraordinary home featuring two fireplaces, three bedrooms, separate dining room, den and full basement with wet bar. Kitchen has lovely leaded cabinets. Located at 74 Shirburn.

PRIVACY WITHOUT ISOLATION! 3-bedroom ranch with wood burning fireplace located on a quiet cul de sac. Has partially finished basement and large fenced yard. Very reasonably priced at only \$40,900.

STARTING UP OR SLOWING DOWN, in either case your needs are limited and so are your means. Extra nice, clean, two bedrooms, newly remodeled kitchen with snack bar and dining room. Has detached garage. Located at 2428 Iowa.

APARTMENT BLUES? Check out this 3-bedroom, attractively decorated ranch with wall to wall carpeting, new kitchen cabinets and partially fenced yard. Priced at only \$24,900 — with 9% down, payments will be lower than rent.

INVESTORS — Open your own business in this beautiful brick building conveniently located at 1312 Nineteenth Street in downtown Granite City. 2,556 square feet with parking in front and back. Owners anxious to sell, are willing to lease.

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GR05—ASSUMABLE MORTGAGE on this large three unit rental property. Great investment opportunity in the \$20's.

GRW9—QUALITY CONTRACTOR'S HOME with any built-in extras. All brick on corner lot has three bedrooms, two baths, family room with fireplace, screened-in patio.

GR76—SUPER FAMILY HOME! New all brick ranch in a county setting features three bedrooms, two baths, combination kitchen and dining; 2-car finished garage, close to Hwy 3 and I-270. \$62,900.

GR10—SPACIOUS CUSTOM-BUILT SPLIT Foyer in the Arlington area. Four large bedrooms, three baths, dining room; Jennie in kitchen; family room, fireplace.

MV5—FIVE BEDROOM TRI-LEVEL in Marine on large lot, fireplace, lots of house for the money, \$57,000.

AD7—THREE BEDROOM BRICK HOME on 1-acre near Alhambra. Fireplace in family room. Must see to appreciate.

OPEN HOUSES
Sunday, Jan. 13, 1-4 P.M.

225 Banyon Tree (Collinwood) \$128,400
Lot 191 Pine Lake (Collinwood) \$ 99,800
Lot 178 Longbranch (Country Village) \$ 93,000

BY OWNER, no realtors, 3 bedrooms, sun room, 1/2 basement, deck, rental property in rear, \$32,500. Call 876-3392. 1 1/4

GLEN CARBON location, 1/2 of an acre, Adorable 3 bedroom hillside ranch, 1 1/2 baths, cozy warm fireplace, 2 car detached garage, lovely picturesque wooded lot, \$48,000. Lois Ganz 288-6186. Eagle Realty 856-7747. 1 1/4

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3 BEDROOM HOUSE 10% loan, attached garage \$44,000 down take over payments \$313 monthly no closing cost, Glenview area, 876-1258, 876-2796. 1 1/4

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If you need information about listings, contracts for sale, etc.

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GOVERNMENT HOME: Low closing cost, \$1,500 down. Equal housing opportunity. 4926 Willow Rd. 3 bedrooms, lot 180x186, gas heat patio, 1 1/2 baths, \$40,000. \$40,500. Pam Collins 1-877-5006. Contralto Realty 1-877-9735. 1 1/4

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ONE AND 2 acre lots, between Granite City and Edwardsville. Also, 120 acre farm. Call 1-656-3293. 2.110
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2 BR HOUSE, w/basement, no pets and references required. Call 876-5650 or 651-7121. 6.110
3 BR BRICK, appliances furnished, no pets, deposit required, very nice, \$250 per month. Call 1-259-3653 after 6:00. 6.117
797 HOUSE, 2 BR, fenced yard, paneled and carpeted, no pets, child acceptable. Call 877-7482. 6.117

LARGE 2-CAR heated garage with workshop plus 3 room cottage, \$295 per month plus deposit. Telephone Real World Star, ask for John, 676-0042. 6.114
1315 MADISON: 5 rooms, energy efficient, kids, pets OK. Granite school district. \$275 monthly. 429-287. 6.110
LARGE 6 ROOM brick, garage, basement fln., fenced. 429-7300. 6.114
SIX ROOM house on bus line in G.C., redecorated; completely insulated; storm; gas furnace; full basement. W/ hookups; deposit and references required; no pets. Call 344-6814 for appointment. 6.121
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3 ROOM HOUSE, adults preferred, no pets. Deposit and references. 877-3167. 6.110
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3 ROOM FURNISHED apt, \$180 month, Call after 5 pm 345-6265. 7.114

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1 BR APT., carpeted, \$175 month plus deposit. Call 451-8125. 7.114
DOWNSTAIR 1 BR unfurnished apt. \$185 plus utilities. 2424 State. Call 452-1885. 7.121
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NEWLY WEDS: Three cozy rooms near hospital. Stove, refrigerator, carpet, storage area, all utilities, only \$255. Call 452-0015. 7.131
DUPLEX, \$270 month, \$270 deposit, two bedrooms, stove and refrigerator, washer-dryer hook up. Call 451-1806 or 877-8799. 7.117
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Pontoon Beach annexes Nameoki Township offices

By SUSANNE INDELICATO
of the Press-Record

The Pontoon Beach Village Board of Trustees has annexed Nameoki Township offices, and adjoining township buildings, as requested by Nameoki Township trustees.

In action Tuesday night, Pontoon Beach trustees unanimously adopted an ordinance annexing the half-acre property.

In preparation for the annexation, the village board amended the utility tax ordinance last month so that taxing bodies within the village, such as Nameoki Township, would not be taxed on electricity, gas or telephone services. Also exempted is the Long Lake Fire Protection District building.

In other matters before the village board Tuesday, former building inspector Ben McMillon confronted board members and asked why he was terminated during a Dec. 18 meeting of the board.

Board President Glen Wilson responded that he did not object to the motion to terminate McMillon because "I felt you didn't get around to people as soon as you should have."

Besides, you can't hold the job and run for office," (McMillon has obtained a petition to run for a Pontoon Beach trustee's position. The village code prohibits a village employee from running for an elected village office.)

McMillon THEN asked why, if he is a village employee, was he never given an opportunity to present his case in an executive session of the board. He also charged that the Illinois Employment Compensation Act does not cover him because state officials say he was an appointed official, instead of a village employee.

McMillon also questioned his position as village building administrator. Wilson countered, "As far as I'm concerned that's another word for the same thing (building inspector)."

"You better check your ordinances, then," McMillon answered. McMillon told the Press-Record that the building inspector is in charge of inspecting new construction, while the building administrator has authority over subdivisions.

McMillon LOST his post as building inspector when the board named William T. Morgan to Wood River in May 1971 as refinery superintendent, then transferred to Houston, Shell's Head Office, in September 1972. He returned to Wood River as Manufacturing Complex Manager, Sept. 1, 1982.

DRIVER INJURED ON EDWARDSVILLE ROAD
Dwayne S. Rogers, 50, of 855 Alton Ave., Madison, was injured at 7:30 p.m. Monday when his pickup truck and a diesel truck were involved in an accident on Edwardsville Road, about 75 feet west of 14th Street.

Robert L. Molitor, 50, of 2015 Washington Ave., a driver for J.C. Hauling Co. of Millstadt, said he was stopped in traffic waiting to make a left turn into the Tarpoiff Meat Co. parking lot when his truck was struck from the rear by Rogers' pickup. Both vehicles were heading west at the time.

GARAGE BURGLARY
A ceiling fan worth between \$200 and \$300 and assorted wrenches valued at \$25 were stolen in a garage break-in. It was reported last week by Bob Lowe, 2807 Marshall Ave. An overhead door was forced open to gain entry.

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Defensive driving course set

A Defensive Driving Course that might save your life, sponsored by the Madison County Farm Bureau Women's Committee and conducted by Country Companies Insurance, is aimed at traffic accident prevention. The Defensive Driving Course offers licensed motorists a standardized method for improving their driving ability. It will also help pass driver's license examinations.

The course will be held Jan. 24 and 25 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Farm Bureau Auditorium. Country Companies policyholders and Farm Bureau members may enroll in the course by contacting the Farm Bureau office at 1-656-5191. Registration fee is \$6 per person.

WARRANT IS SERVED

David B. McKinley, 33, of 2712 Denver St., charged in an active warrant with failure to appear in court on a charge of not having a city sticker, was arrested at 11:30 p.m. Monday at Nidringhaus Avenue and Chestnut Street. He posted a \$53 cash bond.

Upcoming events

Meetings

THE METRO-EAST MS SUPPORT Group will meet from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 13, at the Eden Church of Christ, 902 N. Second St., Edwardsville. Further information is available by calling 345-1655.

JOHN HOOVER, librarian at the St. Louis Mercantile Library, will speak at the Madison County Genealogical Society meeting on Monday, Jan. 10. The 7 p.m. meeting will be at Immanuel United Methodist Church, 800 N. Main St., Edwardsville.

Getting active

THE GRANITE CITY PARK DISTRICT will conduct an organizational meeting at 7 p.m. today, Jan. 10, for teams interested in playing in its indoor soccer program. The meeting will be at the Harold Brown Recreation Center, Franklin and Amos avenues. General information, rules and league information will be discussed. Leagues will be offered to youth, men and co-ed teams. Further information is available from John Lakin, recreation supervisor, at 877-3059.

A YMCA CLASS IN RHORIN-RYU style karate will be offered starting Friday, Jan. 11. The class is open to both male and female students over the age of 8. Sessions will be each Friday from 6 to 8 p.m. for eight weeks. The total cost is \$30 for non-members and \$10 for YMCA members.

THE TRI-CITY AREA YMCA will begin a scuba diving class on Saturday, Jan. 12. The class will be conducted from 4 to 10 p.m. each Saturday through Feb. 16. Three hours will be classroom time, and three hours will be spent in the pool. The fee is \$60 for physical members, \$65 for participating members and \$75 for non-members. For more information, interested persons may contact the YMCA at 876-7200.

LOCAL COMPETITION FOR THE 13th annual Elks Hoop Shoot, the national free-throw shooting contest for youngsters ages 10 through 13, will be conducted at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 12, at Grigsby Junior High. Local winners will compete against other contestants in the district event at Centella on Feb. 10.

NEW AEROBIC DANCE CLASSES will begin Monday, Jan. 14, at Spartan Health Club. Classes start at 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. The classes are free to current members. No dance experience is required. Further information is available by calling 931-5500.

Sharing know-how

THE OBSTETRICS DEPARTMENT at St. Elizabeth Medical Center is offering free Prepared Childbirth classes beginning today, Jan. 10, for the Thursday night series. These classes are for women whose due dates are from now through March 31. All classes are from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Midway School, and last for three consecutive weeks. Expectant mothers interested in these classes may register by calling the Obstetrics Department at 5EMC at 798-3040.

THE CAHOKIA MOUNDS Historic Site, in cooperation with the Cahokia Mounds Museum, is offering a program on Paleo and Archaic periods at 1:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 13, in the theater building behind the museum. Dr. Steve Adler and Dale McElrath will speak. The program is free and open to the public.

THE OFFICE OF CONTINUING EDUCATION at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will offer a non-credit course on techniques for using the computer in the construction industry. Classes will meet Mondays and Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in Room 0222 of the Science Laboratory Building beginning Monday, Jan. 14, and continuing through Feb. 13. Additional information concerning this course may be obtained by calling 1-692-3210.

THE TRI-CITY AREA YMCA will conduct a class in life-saving and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) beginning today, Jan. 10. The class meets from 6 to 9 p.m. for 10 weeks. Anyone age 15 or older may participate in the class. More information is available from the YMCA at 876-7200.

King observances

A PROGRAM HONORING The birthday of Martin Luther King Jr. will begin at 4 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 13, at New Salem Baptist Church, 1349 Klein Ave., Venice. The public is being invited to the event. In conjunction with the program, Venice Mayor Tyrone Echols has announced a citizens' march at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, beginning at Market Street and Line Alley.

STATE SENATOR RICHARD H. NEWHOUSE Jr. of Chicago will be the keynote speaker at an observance honoring the birthday of the late Martin Luther King Jr. Monday, Jan. 14, at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. He will address a public reception in the Conference Center at 3 p.m. The observance will begin with a morning symposium from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Conference Center. A public luncheon is set for 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. in the Meridian Ballroom in the University Center. Reservations for the luncheon at \$6 per person may be made by calling 1-692-2475 or 217-3000, extension 26. Afternoon activities will conclude with a public reception from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. in Goshen Lounge in the University Center.

Culinary fare

COD OR CATFISH FILLETS will be available at St. Cyril and Method Eastern Orthodox Church, 4770 Maryville Road, from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 11. The full dinner costs \$3.50 and includes soup, french fries or falafel beans, dessert and coffee. Sandwiches are available for \$2. Carryouts also are available.

On stage

JERRY LEWIS AND CHARO will appear at the Fox Theatre, 527 N. Grand Blvd., St. Louis, at 8 p.m. today through Saturday, Jan. 10 through 12, and at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 13. Tickets prices range from \$4.90 to \$17.90. Further information is available by calling the Fox at 1-314-534-1111.

THE SESAME STREET LIVE STAGE SHOW is scheduled for today, Jan. 10, to Sunday, Jan. 20, at the Arena in St. Louis. Tickets may be arranged by calling 1-314-231-1234.

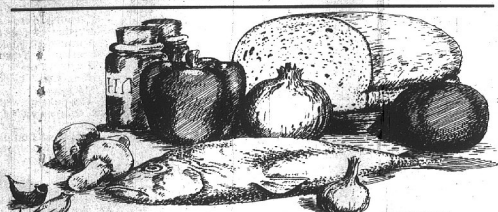
Other events

SIX FLAGS OVER MID-AMERICA will be taking job applications for spring and summer positions from 1 to 7 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 12, at Sheraton Plaza-Westport. Applicants must be 16 years of age and must possess a Social Security number. Interested persons should apply in person. Beginning Monday, Jan. 14, the Six Flags Personnel Office at Interstate 44 and Allenton-Six Flags Road will be open daily from 9 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Mondays through Saturdays and will accept applications through September.

TALENT SCOUTS FROM BUSCH Gardens, The Old Country, Tampa, Fla., will conduct auditions on Sunday, Jan. 13, at the Marquis Hotel in St. Louis. Scouts are looking for 11 to 240 open theme park's 1985 season. Auditions are scheduled from noon to 5 p.m. Performers attending the auditions should be at least 18 years of age and be available for full-time seasonal employment.

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Cooking A La Heart'



Cooking A La Heart' is a unique cooking course that will help you eat your way to better health and reduce your risk of heart disease.

Here is a sampling of what Cooking A La Heart' features include:

- How to adjust calorie intake
- How to reduce fat and cholesterol intake
- Ways to enhance the flavor of foods without salt
- Ways to prepare satisfying meatless meals
- Cooking for one person
- Menus for special occasions

Cooking A La Heart' classes will be held on Thursday evenings, January 24 through February 28, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the Wellness Room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

All classes will be taught by a registered dietitian. There is a \$45 fee for the course.

You can make reservations for Cooking A La Heart' by calling 798-3157.

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Reminds disabled persons denied Social Security to seek review

State Senator Sam Vadablanc (D-Edwardsville) is reminding disabled persons who lost their Social Security disability benefits after May 1, 1981, that they are entitled to request a case review and to request their benefits to be reinstated.

Vadablanc said the case reviews are possible "due to the passage of Senate Bill 1610, which allowed for a new fee schedule for examinations and medical evidence of record, which are used as part of the decision making process on claimants for benefits under the Social Security Disability Program."

"Any person who feels that his benefits should be reinstated should file a Social Security Administration form 795 with their Social Security District office. The sooner this is done, the sooner benefits will begin again and the case will be reviewed. If benefits are reinstated and the case is reviewed in favor of the disabled person, back payment of benefits from the cut off time will also be paid," he explained.

"The increase in the fee schedule allows the department to better document disabilities, thus making the system less susceptible to fraud and more accountable," Vadablanc

said.

Vadablanc said the Social Security Administration will be sending out letters to notify past benefit recipients of the review, however, "outdated addresses may hinder the department's efforts. Anyone who has lost the benefits and feels he or she is entitled to them should apply for Social Security."

"Questions about benefits can be answered by calling the local Social Security office or the toll-free number at the Illinois Department of Rehabilitation Services, 1-800-637-8856," Vadablanc concluded.

Chouteau gets tax disbursement

By DONNA KIMBRO
of the Press-Record

Chouteau Township Supervisor Walter "Dick" Sparks presented a list of tax monies received since Dec. 21 at the regular meeting Monday night.

Money from County Treasurer Mick Henkhaus for the road and bridge fund amounted to \$1,813 and in the town and general fund, \$349. On Dec. 31, the township was the recipient of \$2,000 of road and bridge taxes and \$1,368 in the town and general fund.

RECEIPTS from the mobile home tax totaled \$775 for the road and bridge fund and \$349 for the town and general fund. Since the previous meeting, the amount of interest received from general assistance fund investments was \$36 and \$807 from revenue sharing fund investments.

A fee of \$5,460 was paid to Juneau Associates for their services in preparing specifications and drawings for the first phase of the drainage improvements to Rapp

Road. The money came from Community Development funds, the supervisor announced.

Thiems Construction Co. of Edwardsville was awarded the contract for the drainage project and has received all legal contracts to be signed and returned to the township office, Sparks explained.

SINCE the second phase, along Lakeview Drive, will have to wait until additional funds are available, Sparks informed the trustees that he is seeking permission from township supervisors and mayors to borrow their money from Community Development discretionary funds.

If this agreement is reached, Chouteau will use its allotted amount of next year's funds to pay this back to all in District 2.

"I have sent letters to the mayors of Granite City, Venice and Madison and to the township supervisors and the Pontoon Village president. So far, I have only heard from one and he is in agreement with the loan," Sparks informed the board.

IN THE EVENT that all officials agree to the loan, the drainage project can be completed at one time. Otherwise, the second phase will have to be put aside until the township receives more funds, the supervisor said.

In other business, the supervisor read an invitation to the Hartford Chamber of Commerce annual banquet Jan. 24 at 7 p.m. in the Hartford Community Center gymnasium. Reservations must be made by Jan. 15 and will cost \$6 per person.

The next Chouteau Town Board meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. Monday, Jan. 21.

GARAGE BURGLARY

In a garage burglary at the home of Rick Demaris, 2713 Buxton Ave., various tools, including sockets, wrenches and screwdrivers, were stolen last week.

Metropolitan area population growing

As of January 1985, the population of the eight-county St. Louis metropolitan area is 2,340,500, according to estimates prepared by the staff of the East-West Gateway Coordinating Council (EWGCC). This represents an increase of 16,700 people since the 1980 Census in the city of St. Louis and the counties of Franklin, Jefferson, St. Charles and St. Louis in the state of Missouri and the counties of Madison, Monroe and St. Clair in the state of Illinois.

For the second consecutive year, the St. Louis metropolitan area has shown signs that the population declines which it experienced during the decade of the 1970's has reversed.

As first announced by EWGCC one year ago last January and confirmed by two recent Bureau of the Census studies, metropolitan area population is continuing to increase. While the net increase remains

small, the important fact is that the trend is positive.

Madison County began to reverse the downward trend of the late 1970s and early 1980s by showing a slight population increase of about 500 persons above the 1980 census.

Recent increases in jobs, reductions in unemployment and an improving economy are some of the causes of the population increases. Generally the trend will continue as long as the metropolitan economy improves and employment opportunities increase.

The results of the latest population

analysis provides evidence that revitalization and coordination efforts are paying dividends. However, unless these efforts are continued and expanded, the latest trend is easily reversed. Future population studies by EWGCC will continue to monitor changes as they occur, and the analyses and results will enable the region's leaders to see the impact of their efforts, a spokesman said.

Madison County's estimated population in January was 248,000, up from 247,691 in 1980, but a decrease from 250,911 in 1970, the study shows.

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JAMES COREY
Navy Seaman James A. Corey, son of Mrs. Fern E. Corey, 205 Lenox Ave., Mitchell, has completed recruit training at the Navy Recruit Training Command, U.S. Navy Training Center in Great Lakes, Ill. During the seaman's eight week training cycle, he studied general military subjects designed to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic fields.

His studies included seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid. Personnel completing the course of instruction are eligible for three hours of college credit in physical education and hygiene.

A 1975 graduate of Granite City High School North, Seaman Corey joined the Navy last September.

TIMOTHY PASSIG
Navy Constructionman Recruit Timothy L. Passig, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. (Yvonne P.) Passig, 1753 Chestnut St., has completed recruit training at the Recruit Training Command, U.S. Naval Training Center in San Diego, Calif.

In the eight-week training cycle, Passig studied general military subjects to prepare him for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic fields.

A 1981 graduate of Granite City High School South, Passig joined the Navy in May 1984.

At the San Diego center, the local man's studies included seamanship, close order drill, first aid and Naval history.

Recruits, who successfully complete the course of instruction, are eligible for three hours of college credits in physical education and hygiene.



DANNY WEBB

Army Specialist Four Danny Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. William (Nancy) Webb, 4053 Stearns Ave., has been awarded the Army Commendation Medal from the Department of the Army for "Meritorious services as a Medical Laboratory Specialist during the period of Aug. 1, 1981, to Dec. 12, 1984."

The serviceman and his family spent the recent holidays here with his parents and left this week for a new assignment at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio, Texas. Spec. 4 Webb currently is starting his second three-year tour of duty in the U.S. Army. Previously, he was stationed at Fort Dix in Trenton, N.J.

A graduate of Granite City High School North, the soldier and his wife, Tracy, a former resident of Carpenter, Ill., are the parents of two daughters, Tiffany, 2 years, and Brittany, 6 months.

The citation, signed by Secretary of the Army John D. Marsh Jr., and Colonel Garland E. McCarty, commanding officer, stated: "Specialist Webb has consistently demonstrated that he is an extremely reliable and competent technician. He has been working unsupervised on weekend and night shifts."

"In addition, Specialist Webb organized and maintains the Laboratory Supply Station which exceeds a half-million dollars annually. His positive attitude and dedication to duty and outstanding professional conduct reflect great credit upon himself, the Medical Department and the United States Army."

STACY TATUM

Stacy R. Tatum, son of Mrs. Mildred J. Taylor, 218 W. Third St.,

Madison, has been promoted to the rank of specialist four in the U.S. Army.

Spec. 4 Tatum, a telecommunications specialist, is assigned to the 101st Airborne Division at Fort Campbell in Kentucky. He is a graduate of Lovejoy High School.

JOHN GAGE JR.

Major John B. Gage Jr., U.S. Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. John (Mildred) Gage, 2832 Warren Ave., recently was promoted to his present rank while serving in West Germany.

The officer, a 1969 graduate of Granite City High School, presently is on a three-year tour of duty in Germany, where he is stationed at Rhein Main Air Base.

Major Gage, his wife, Jane, and their children, Keri, Amy and Mark, have been in Europe for the past year.

He is a 1980 graduate of Purdue University and was graduated in 1972 from Parks College, where he was a member of the ROTC program.

STEPHEN UNDERKOFER

Captain Stephen M. Underkoffer, son of Mrs. Betty J. Young and stepson of Donald D. Young, 2912 Fortune Drive, has participated in Exercise Cope North at Chitose Air Base in Hokkaido, Japan.

Capt. Underkoffer is a pilot with the 12th Tactical Fighter Squadron at Kadena Air Base on Okinawa, Japan. He is a 1976 graduate of Washington University, St. Louis. Cope North was designed to train aircrews in combined attacks with dissimilar air and maritime combat tactics and maneuvers.

The exercise involved members of the U.S. Air Force and the Marine Corps and the Japan Air Self Defense Force and the Japan Maritime Self Defense Force.

BLAKE MONICAL

Blake R. Monical, son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. (Georgette) Monical, 5 Hanson Drive, has been promoted in the U.S. Army to the rank of private first class.

Pfc. Monical is an infantryman with the 82nd Airborne Division at Fort Bragg, Fayetteville, N.C. He is a 1983 graduate of Granite City High School North.

SEMC Cancer Program gets 3-year approval

The American College of Surgeons has announced that its Committee on Approvals of the Commission on Cancer has granted a three-year approval to the Cancer Program at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City, Ill.

SEMC now operates the only such approved program in the area. The three-year approval is the highest the committee can give. The approval indicates that an institution has coordinated the appropriate personnel, activities and resources to offer optimal care to cancer patients. These activities include multidisciplinary evaluation and management, assurance that all patients have access to consultation with appropriate specialists, systematic evaluation of patterns of care and continuous monitoring of results through a cancer registry.

According to Patsy J. Callahan, Cancer Program coordinator at SEMC, the Cancer Registry enables uniform reporting of incidence and survival rates by stages of disease. The American Cancer Society is then able to conduct nationwide surveys of reported cancers in the areas reporting.

Mrs. Callahan said SEMC holds monthly cancer conferences and has a Cancer Committee that meets quarterly. Hospice of Madison County, the Oncology Unit and Home Health also participate in the Cancer Program.

The American College of Surgeons will be sending a Certificate of Approval to SEMC sometime within the next few weeks. "I think it's

something to be proud of," Mrs. Callahan said. "Not everybody gets it."

She added, "It's been a joint effort. Dr. W. J. Popovic is the chairman of the Cancer Committee, and he's given us a lot of good advice. I was very pleased."

Suspect is charged in murder of GC man

Bond has been set at \$50,000 for an East St. Louis man who has been charged with the murder of Arthur Wilburn of Arlington Heights.

Martin Laver, 43, was charged in the shooting incident after an informational document was issued Monday by the St. Clair County State's Attorney's Office. The shooting occurred at Laver's home Saturday after a dispute broke out between him and Mr. Wilburn.

Mr. Wilburn, 21, was pronounced dead at the scene by Al Ransom, St. Clair County deputy coroner of East St. Louis. Mr. Wilburn suffered shots to the face, chest and right thigh. According to East St. Louis police, a 22-caliber long rifle was the weapon used. Laver was arrested by police two hours after the shooting.

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Venice finalizes teachers contract

By RACHEL NEWSOME
for the Press-Record

Ratifying the final portions of the teachers' working agreement, changes in the 1984-85 sports banquet, possible application for federal funding for asbestos removal and the transferring of funds were primary topics at Monday night's Venice School Board meeting.

In a previous meeting, the salary portion of the teachers' working agreement was ratified. The two-year contract states that each teacher will receive an average \$50 increase in salary this year. In addition to this increase, a \$150 "lump sum" payment will be made to each teacher by July 28, 1985. In the salary statement for 1985-86 school year, the teachers will receive another increase averaging \$1,100.

Changes made in the remaining portion of the contract include the grievance procedure, in which, according to a new law, has to end in binding arbitration, if stated. Personal leave days have decreased from five to four and pay assistance for teachers working toward a

master's degree increased from \$1,000 to \$15,000. Also, concerning extra-curricular pay, a Beta club was added and allotted \$100 per year for a sponsor. Some coaching raises also were approved.

Due to a proposal from Robert Vickers, superintendent of schools, the board approved alterations in the annual sports banquet.

In the past, the high school and the elementary school (grades five through eight) have participated in one sports banquet. "I've heard a lot of complaints from the high school students. I guess they feel they are more mature and should have their own banquet," explained Vickers. Therefore, the board's decision to split up the banquet is based on hopes that they will receive parent aid and participation in order to continue a sports banquet for the grade school students.

The decision to apply for federal funding concerning asbestos removal is pending until more information can be obtained. Vickers explained he has questions concern-

ing federal funding in conjunction with state funding. A resolution to transfer \$1,400 from the building fund to the building fire and safety fund, in order to pay bills on a boiler repair, was approved.

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